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ENGLISH DRIVING GERMANS BACK

ADVANCE MILE, FRENCH DEFEAT TEUTONS, TAKE THE YSER CANAL BRIDGE

BULLETIN

Paris, May 17.—(Via London 5:10 p. m.)—British troops, continuing their drive at the German line near LaBassee have captured another series of trenches at Richebourgh-L-Avoue. They took 650 prisoners.

London, May 17.—(1.58 p. m.)—Field Marshal Sir John French has broken his silence in regard to the movements of the British army northwest of LaBassee with the announcement of an advance of nearly a mile into the German line. This, together with the continuance of the French thrusts both north of Ypres and southwest of LaBassee, constitutes the outstanding feature of the military situation today.

Military commentators here regard the British advance as a genuine break of the German line which, if maintained, must mean a retreat for a considerable section of the invaders' forces.

Recapture of the bridge over the Yser canal at Steenstraete by the French deprives the Germans of their last connection with the west side of the waterway.

German assaults on the British position at Ypres seem to have spent themselves, at least, for the moment, as Field Marshal French reports all has been quiet there for the last 48 hours.

Official reports from Petrograd do little to minimize the severity of the defeat which the Russians have experienced over practically the whole line from Central Poland to the Carpathians. The victorious Germanic armies have robbed the Russians of most of the hard winter and early spring campaign with the exception of Przemysl, which is closely threatened on two sides by hostile forces. In the latest Petrograd communication there is a suggestion that the Russians are ensconced behind the river San in readiness for one of those sudden movements such as previously has turned defeat in victory for them.

It is evident that the Austro-German sources will leave nothing undone in the attempt to force a crossing of the San. The Russians admit the loss of 50 guns during the retreat of their third army to the San, but assert that most of them were destroyed.

Another Zeppelin attack on seaside resorts on the east coast early this morning accomplished no more than other recent air raids. British airmen, however, were awaiting the Zeppelin on this occasion and after a lively stern chase overtook it near West Hinder Light Ship. A vigorous attack by aeroplanes routed the Zeppelin which when last seen had its tail down and appeared to have been damaged severely.

Germany's reply to American and Italy's next step divide diplomatic interest. Nothing has reached London to dissipate the impression that Germany's answer will be more or less negative.

As to Italy the return of the Salandra government, with its policy intact, and enormously strengthened by public support, is accepted in England as confirming the belief that Italy will enter the war on the side of the Allies.

GREEK KING IS FAILING

London, May 17.—The Greek legation has received a bulletin from Athens showing the condition of King Constantine, who has been ill for a week with pleurisy, is worse.

He is not expected to be able to attend state business for some time.

6,000 KILLED IN MASSACRE

London, May 17.—Six thousand Armenians have been massacred at Van, in Armenia, Asiatic Turkey, according to a dispatch received in official quarters in London today from the Russian Consul at Urumiah, Persia.

The message is dated May 15, and adds that Armenians are defending themselves to the utmost against Turks and Kurds arrayed against them, but help is urgently needed.

HERE'S PENNY CAR SERVICE

Cleveland, May 17.—Cleveland will have a one cent car line in operation by June 1, it was announced today which will run from the public square to the new lake front piers. It will serve patrons of the lake steamers which will use this dock instead of that in the river after June 1.

The line will give no transfers to other lines nor accept any from other lines. A fifteen minute service will be maintained with extra cars at the time of arrival and departure of ships in the morning and evening.

KAISER RECEIVES WILSON'S NOTE; AUSTRIA WANTS PEACE WITH U. S.

PRESIDENT REVIEWS FLEET IN DOWNPOUR

New York, May 17.—President Wilson delivered a patriotic address on the American flag and the protection it carries for Americans at a luncheon given here today in his honor by the New York citizens committee of the reception of the Atlantic fleet.

The president declared that the luncheon was not the occasion at which it was wise for him to make an extended address. He said he had always had a deep interest in the navy.

"It is right," he said "that America should have a great navy to express its character."

New York, May 17—Two women suffragists eluded the heavy guard stationed in the hotel and succeeded in reaching the floor where the president was at luncheon today. They managed to see Secretary Tumulty and gave him a letter to be delivered to the president. As Mr. Tumulty was walking away from the door, one of the women exclaimed:

"Mr. Wilson is the greatest little evader I know."

New York, May 17.—A mighty armada of battleships, destroyers, submarines and auxiliary craft, the nations bulwark of war, swung at anchor in the Hudson river today groomed for review by the president.

The most powerful array of fighting ships ever assembled in an American port, sixty-four in all, stretched for four miles in a double line of solemn gray, but touched with gayer colors where pennants and ensigns streamed from fighting tops and mast head.

Each battleship was in readiness to thunder out the presidential salute of 21 guns when the navy yacht Mayflower, with the

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WOMEN STAGE RIOT; 47 ARE KILLED

Rome, May 17.—Forty-seven women were killed and more than three hundred were injured, some fatally in a "Woman's Revolution" at Triest, according to a report received by "Idea Nazionale" today.

The women marched down the streets burning all Austrian flags in sight and crying "Death to Emperor Francis Joseph."

Squads of gendarmes were called out and in charging the crowd killed the above number.

Premier Salandra has called a council of ministers for tomorrow at which it is expected a decision will be reached as to the stand Italy shall take.

ENVOY HAS CONFERENCE WITH BRYAN

Washington, May 17.—Ambassador Gerard at Berlin today notified the state department of the delivery of the American note to the German foreign office. It was the first official notification that the note had arrived at its destination although its delivery had been reported in news dispatches.

Administration officials are reserving comment as to the probable attitude of the German government, but in diplomatic circles speculation still was rife.

Intimations by diplomats friendly to Germany that her answer might be an offer to suspend attacks without warning on merchant ships if the United States would renew its informal proposals for unrestricted passage of foodstuffs to Germany's civilian population, have aroused keen interest.

Dr. Constantin Dumbaa, the Austrian ambassador, had a long conference today with Secretary Bryan and other state department officials. While the ambassador would not discuss the object of his call, the impression prevailed that he had endeavored to sound out feeling with a view toward assisting in a peaceful settlement of the situation with Germany.

It is known that the Austrian ambassador and Count Bernstorff, the German ambassador, have been in close consultation for several days and that Austria is watching with deep interest the course of events between the United States and her ally throwing her influence in the direction of preventing any rupture in friendly relations.

That the United States stands firmly on the absolute justice, both from a legal and a humane point of view, of its position and therefore has nothing to arbitrate, was the intimation which many officials gave us the answer to the suggestions that Germany would offer to arbitrate the questions raised in the American note.

TRANSYLVANIA DOCKS AFTER SAFE VOYAGE

Liverpool, May 71.—The Cunard liner Transylvania arrived safely at Grochock, Scotland, three o'clock this morning. When the vessel sailed from New York this city was supposed to be her destination but her course was changed to minimize danger of passing through the German war zone.

The safe arrival of the Transylvania at Grochock, a few miles south of Glasgow, brought a feeling of relief to the line officials, who during the past few days have anxiously awaited word from the steamer. Another dispatch received by the line officials today from Glasgow advised them that all Liverpool passengers on the Transylvania had been landed and would be sent to their destination by rail.

WILLIS TACKLES ELECTION REFORMS

Columbus, May 17.—With all major administration measures out of the way, Governor Willis today turned his attention to the election reform measures pending in the house and proposals to extend terms of officials. It was said he told legislators he did not favor the extension of terms but was anxious to see the Wickline and Wise election bills enacted before Wednesday when the assembly expects to recess until May 27, when final adjournment will occur.

The Wickline bill will be shorn still further, house leaders declared, until it contains as its main feature the perpetual card registration only for cities. Provisions that election boards be reduced from four to two members, except in the few largest counties, is to be eliminated, it was said. Senator Wise of Stark county, author of the absent voting bill, said he expected the house to pass it after making amendments to reduce the time before elections when ballots must be ready for use by absent voters.

The resolution of Representative Totman of Athens, providing for submission of a constitutional amendment to extend the terms of all state, county, municipal, township and school officials to four years was considered by the house judiciary committee today. Representative Clark of Warren, chairman of the committee, conferred with the governor and later declared it was possible the committee could not draw up the necessary amendments to the measure before recess time.

The principal work before the house today was acceptance of the conference committee's report on the Barnes-Moore civil service bill. When this action is taken the bill will be ready for the governor's signature.

A few house leaders said today they thought the pressure for passing of bills with local application, might keep the assembly in session until the latter part of the week.

LISBON RIOTS CEASE, OFFICIALS ARE PLACED ON BOARD WARSHIP

Madrid, Spain, May 17.—(Via London 4:44 p. m.)—An official dispatch received here today from Lisbon announces that disturbances similar to those which occurred last night broke out again today. Details are lacking.

Paris, May 17—Absolute calm has been restored in Lisbon and the city resumed a normal appearance, according to a Havas Agency.

Under date of Friday at Lisbon the Havas correspondent says that General Pimenta Castro, premier and minister of war, and Gounart Medeiros, former minister of public instruction, have been taken from a garrison in Carmo street and turned over to the new government. They were at once conducted on board the warship Vasco da Gama.

Machado, minister of the interior, and Santos Lucas, minister of finance, members of the cabinet of President Arriaga, are being held in the garrison.

The revolutionary committee Sunday issued a notice saying it would continue to aid in the re-establishing of order until such time as the government had the situation well in hand.

A dispatch from Oporto says a policeman was seriously wounded and four civilians were fatally hurt during a manifestation in that city on the part of sympathizers with the new government. Otherwise order has been completely restored at Oporto and the local general of division is awaiting instructions to proclaim the new government.

The official Journal has thanked all those who did their duty on the side of the government in re-establishing order. Civilians are invited to surrender their arms and the population is requested to conduct itself with prudence and generosity. No civilians may carry arms after 9 o'clock p. m.

ITALY WILL DECIDE TODAY WHETHER IT IS TO BE WAR OR PEACE

Rome, May 17---Italy's long awaited decision for or against war may be reached today.

Premier Salmandra has called a meeting of the cabinet, the first since the political crisis which resulted in the retention in office of the Salandra ministry. Final decision may be postponed, however, until assembling of parliament Thursday.

All Italy is in a state of feverish excitement and the temper of the people is represented as overwhelmingly in favor of war.

Clashes between Austrian and Italian frontier guards are reported. News dispatches from the border say that an uprising has occurred in Trieste one of the principal Austrian cities claimed by Italy.

BROTHER OF VILLA SLAIN

El Paso, Tex., May 17.—General Antonio Villa, a minor commander and a brother of the northern leader, was shot through the head and seven men were killed, among them some Villa officers, as a result of a political dispute in a public place at Chihuahua City last night according to reports reaching here today.

TRY OHIO GIRL FOR MURDER

Van Wert, O., May 17.—The trial of Miss Lulu Wilson, a former school teacher, on the charge of manslaughter, commenced in the common pleas court here today, with Judge Fred L. Hay, of Defiance, presiding.

Shortly after 9 o'clock Friday evening, March 26, at his home in this city, Attorney Levi N. Jacobs, 54, was shot through the heart by Miss Wilson, 42, who was his housekeeper and cared for his three motherless children for the past nine years. Miss Wilson immediately after the shooting ran to the home of a neighbor with the smoking revolver in her hand with the announcement that she had shot the attorney and that she had to do it to save her own life when he was about to attack her with a chair.

Although she had no relatives her friends came to her aid and attorneys were engaged to defend Miss Wilson.

MORE BODIES BROUGHT IN

Queenstown, May 17—The bodies of three men, three women, two small boys and one child a year old, all victims of the Lusitania disaster, were brought to Queenstown today by the tug Flying Fox which was storm-bound all day Sunday.

The body of the Reverend Basil W. Maturin, of Oxford, England, was identified easily. Identification was established by means of laundry marks and papers on the bodies of Mrs. Frederick F. Pierson of New York. Miss Gwen Allen, daughter of Lady Allen of Montreal, and of Dean W. Hodges, a young son of William F. Hodges of Philadelphia.

The other bodies have not been identified. One of the two unidentified men was a fireman.

Lola Nichols, aged 17 years, of No. 1012 Washington street, who just came to Portsmouth from Kentucky ten days ago, was reported sick and destitute Monday. She will be admitted to Hempstead hospital.

TO TRY WOMAN WHO SLEW KIN

New York, May 17—The trial of Ida S. Walters for the murder of her children, John, two years old, and Loretta, 8 months, to whom she has admitted she administered poison last December, was set for today. The district attorney of Queens county had announced his intention of opposing a hearing at this time because Mrs. Walters is soon to give birth to a third child. Her counsel was ready to begin the trial.

After poisoning her children Mrs. Walters drank the same dose and narrowly escaped death. The tragedy revealed the fact that Lorlys Elton Rogers, a lawyer, was father of her children and that while she lived with the babies in a Bronx apartment he lived in Manhattan with his lawful wife. The latter, Mrs. Caroline Giddings Rodgers, has since obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce.

BOMBS SLAY WOMAN AND 2 CHILDREN

Calais, France, May 17.—A Zeppelin airship coming from the channel flew over Calais last night.

It dropped bombs on various quarters of the city, killing two children and wounding one woman. The property damage was slight. After its raid the Zeppelin sailed away in the direction of the sea.



Things in this world certainly do move. Now here was me, a Democrat out and out, settin' down Saturday night t' a Republican banquet and enjoyin' myself too. Why time wuz and not so long ago that Republicans wouldn't a invited a Democratic goat like me t' a banquet and th' goat wouldn't a went if they had. I guess universal peace ain't so fur off after all. Here's th' weather:

Ohio—Fair tonight with frost; Tuesday fair.

CRUSHING DEFEAT HANDED TO NAILERS BY LOCALS

Before Big Crowd, Portsmouth Team Won Easily, 10 to 1

Before an enthusiastic throng of fans Portsmouth walked away from Ironton in their Sunday game at Ironton, the final score being 10 to 1, which represents the relative strength of the teams as they performed yesterday. Portsmouth played in championship form untill played in championship form untill while the Nailers simply had an off day, every play breaking badly for them.

Helpless before the masterly pitching of Big Larry Jacobus and unable to stop the wicked and at times brutal hitting of Spencer's team, Ironton went down to an ignominous defeat. And the big flock of fans wanted to drink the cup of victory as they had done on Saturday, but base ball is the funny old game and the team that blanked Portsmouth 5 to 0 Saturday, came right back and was defeated yesterday in a runaway style.

For a starter Diltz drew a pass, DeLotelle scoring him four straight hits. A wild pitch permitted Diltz to reach second. Heavnet to third on an infield out and scored on a bounder to the infield. Ironton's lone run came in the fourth when Levi opened with a single after Millis lost his foul in the sun. An out moved him up to second and he scored on Haddock's clean smash to center. This was all for Ironton as the team never had a look in after the fourth.

It was in the sixth that the dastardly deed was done by Portsmouth. Four hits in a row by Diltz, Dilhoeffer, Sharman and Mills, a pass and two errors by King and the stuff was off, the combination netting four runs. A pair of tallies were also scored in the seventh and two more were garnered in the eighth on good clean hitting, DeLotelle letting down after his team went to pieces.

Portsmouth simply rubbed its way to victory. Everything DeLotelle served was converted into ringing smashes and Ironton had no more show of winning than a battleship would have in reaching Duresville via the Scioto river. The box score:

Portsmouth	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Diltz, rf	4	3	2	0	0	0
Dilhoeffer, 3b	4	1	1	2	3	1
Sharman, cf	4	2	3	1	0	0
Mills, c	4	1	1	5	3	0
Spencer, lf	4	1	1	10	0	0
Catoir, ss	3	1	1	1	4	0
Bush, 2b	3	0	0	6	1	0
McElheny, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Jacobus, p	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	37	10	10	27	13	2

Ironton	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Olson, 2b	5	0	1	4	1	0
Gilmore, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Colbert, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Levi, 1b	4	1	1	11	1	1
Perry, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Esch, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
King, ss	2	0	0	1	0	2
Haddock, c	3	0	1	5	3	0
DeLotelle, p	4	0	1	2	5	1
Doherty, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	1	7	27	15	4

*Doherty batted for King in sixth.

Portsmouth	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	—10
Ironton	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

Three Base Hit—Jacobus. Stolen Bases—Gilmore, Colbert, Diltz, Sharman. First Base on Balls—DeLotelle 2, Jacobus 2. Hit by Pitcher—King, Colbert. Struck Out—By DeLotelle 11, by Jacobus 2. Double Plays—Caton, Bush, Spencer 2. Wild Pitches—De Lotelle. Time of Game—1:50. Attendance—1800.

A FEW PICKUPS AND GROUNDERS

Umpire Pfirman got by swell. He looks like a real arbiter.

Mills certainly mauled the old pill Sunday. He looks better every time out.

Manager Spencer is a finished first baseman. He handles the team nicely and is in almost every play. He is doing a lot of coaching at third, which shows how anxious he is to get a run across.

There is not a better infielder in the league than Bush, in the last three days he has accepted 25 chances without a skip.

Jacobus looked like a million dollar pitcher Sunday. At least Billy kept yelling at him to this effect. Jacobus had a lisp of the last one and the old hook was hooking the corners.

One sweet little player is this kid Sharman in center. He busts that old pill to all corners of the lot.

Ironton turned out a great throng of fans and they rooted hard for their team, but not after the fatal sixth inning.

The local continuent kidded Colbert all the way. When he hit into two double plays they got up on their hind legs and showed Ironton fans a third degree brand of rooting.

With Smith on first, Gilson at second, Doherty at short and Perry at third the Nailers will have a fast infield.

Diltz regained his eye Sunday and laced a couple in addition to scoring a brace of tallies. He is always there with the old pepper.

Rowdy Caton is a favorite already. Ironton fans appreciate a hustling ball player.

McElheny, by gosh had some friends up from Adams to see him perform. His envious comrades on the team insist that he has more friends that come out to watch him play than any man in the league.

Here Are The New "Umps"



CHAS. PFIRMAN



GUY COLEGATE



FRED LONG

President Joe Carr of the Ohio State league was certainly fortunate when he secured the services of Long, Pfirman and Colgate for his umpirical staff. So far their work has been of the highest order.

Clippers Beaten

The Whittmer-Glessner Steelmakers Sunday defeated the Clippers by a score of 7 to 3. The box score:

Steel Plant	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Ewing, 3b	5	2	2	3	4	1
Banfield, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Gelburn, ss	4	1	2	3	3	0
Shoemaker, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Elliott, as	1	0	1	3	3	1
Staten, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
C. Samson, c	4	1	0	7	5	0
F. Samson, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schultz, p	4	2	3	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	9	27	15	2

Clippers	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
S. Graves, ss	4	0	1	4	2	1
Mantel, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	2
Lowery, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
McKnight, c	4	0	0	5	5	0
J. Burdick, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	1
O. Graves, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Egbert, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	1
L. Burrows, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Paden, p	2	0	1	1	2	1
Totals	30	3	5	27	14	6

Clippers	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	—3
Steel Plant	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	2	—7

THE IRONY OF FATE

"Well, Portsmouth having defeated Ironton before a big crowd at home Sunday the Ohio tate league season can now go along on the even tenor of its way," said a local fan Sunday night.

Victors Won

The Victors cannot be stopped in their march to the front.

They Administered a defeat to the newly organized Giants Sunday on the Sixteenth street diamond by a score of 21 to 10. Borders and Harris formed the battery for the Victors, Phillips and Dobbins for the Giants.

WASSLUGGING MATCH

Chillicothe, May 17.—In a game featured by heavy hitting the locals Sunday defeated Frankfort by the score of 19 to 7.

Frankfort	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	—7
Chillicothe	3	2	5	2	3	0	2	1	—19

Batteries—Frankfort, Abbott, Fisher and Boultware; Chillicothe, Moore and Doherty.

GILMORE IS FAST MAN

Manager Smith has a rattling good outfielder in Gilmore, who should go higher this season. He takes a healthy cut at the pill and looks them over in big league style. Haddock caught a nice game and Olson looks fast at second. Ironton fans and their correspondent out of the belief that it would have been different had Smith been in the game.

Came Home Last Night

Hubert Vest returned home Sunday and will rejoin the team here Wednesday. He pitched the ball Saturday, but Ironton got the breaks and pushed in on them. Vest held the Nailers to four hits and Manager Spencer was pleased with his box work.

300 Local Fans Saw Game Sunday

Portsmouth certainly sent a representative crowd of fans to Ironton Sunday.

Two hundred went up on passenger train No. 10 and forty-two hundred made the trip in automobiles. Splendid time was made both ways and the trip was an ideal one. And to top it off Portsmouth ironicled the Nailers most decisively.

The following autoists made the trip to Ironton Sunday: Dr. C. H. Dawson, Louis Levi, Charles Berry, Loyd D. York, W. C. Assmann, Linn Wittenburg, Dr. J. W. Hutchens, John and James Kelley, Charley Wertz, K. N. Nagel, Al Maier, Charles Maass, W. H. Eshelman, Ralph Ruggles, George D. Schneider, Al Yuenger, Gus Brunner, Frank Coburn, Clinton Daniels and Charles Sims.

CHEERED LOCAL BOYS

And don't forget that Portsmouth fans rooted for William Doherty and Oscar De Lotelle as they are local boys.

Doherty relieved King at short in the sixth and the Portsmouth fans in the stands certainly cheered Doherty to the echo. He failed to hit safely, but he accepted the only two chances that came his way in his usual steady manner. The first time up Doherty lifted gently to Spencer and the next time he popped to Dilly. Doherty is trained to the minute and will make Smith a valuable man on the infield if played regularly.

DID FANS ROOT SWELL?

Ironton heard a new brand of rooting Sunday.

The 300 Portsmouth fans there rooted loud and long for Portsmouth. Every player was lustily cheered as he stepped to the plate and each was compelled to doff his cap. As the runs were being piled up the fans would get up and count them and then count Ironton's lone tally much to their enjoyment and to the disgust of the Ironton bugs.

Lexington Colts Beat Charleston

Lexington, May 17.—The Colts held on to first place Sunday when they broke the tie with Charleston by defeating the Senators by a score of 7 to 3 before a Sunday crowd of 1000. Coffendaffer, the Charleston hurler, was hit hard. Manager Guyn for Lexington celebrated his return to the game after an injury by hitting for three bases in the first with the corners loaded. The box score:

Charleston	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Nutter, cf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Beers, c	5	0	0	8	2	0
Curtis, 3b	2	2	1	0	0	0
Troutman, ss	5	0	3	0	4	0
Hudson, 1b	5	0	1	12	0	0
Abner, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Alderson, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Evans, 2b	1	1	1	0	1	1
Coffendaffer, p	2	0	0	0	1	1
Holstein, p	2	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	30	3	11	24	11	2

Lexington	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cain, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
McClelland, as	5	1	2	1	1	2
Shafer, 2b	3	1	0	2	5	1
Guyn, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Reed, c	3	0	1	6	1	1
Jones, 3b	4	2	1	2	3	0
Devereaux, 1b	3	0	1	13	0	0
Vetter, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Hanna, p	4	0	2	0	7	0
Totals	33	7	11	27	17	1

Charleston	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	—3
Lexington	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	—7

Earned runs—Charleston, 1; Lexington, 3. Two base hits—Devereaux, Jones, Evans, Vetter, Reed. Three base hits—Guyn.

CONWELL MADE A HIT

The other day Beaumont beat Waco in the Texas league, 2 to 0.

Who do you suppose batted as a pinch hitter for John Hickey in the ninth? None other than our good friend Irish Conwell. If such a trick had been turned in the Ohio State last year the fans would have panned the manager as Hickey is a grand hitter. But more than likely Hickey had gone hitless in this particular game and the manager thought Conwell would come through with a hit and he did that very thing. So the manager's judgment was handsomely vindicated.

Shifts Lineup

Manager Spencer sprang a surprise on the Portsmouth fans, who saw the game in front as at the last moment he sent McElheny to left and placed Dilhoeffer on third, Elmer going to the bench.

Dilly played one swell game at station No. 3 and McElheny made a splendid catch off Colbert in left. Spencer's judgment being vindicated handsomely. Dilly put a lot of life in the game and contributed one of the real fielding features when he caught a high spiral foul with his gloved hand. The play broke up an Ironton rally.

Fan Parries Cruel Thrust

"Pick out a good one," yelled a fan to Louie Levi when he had a little trouble finding his "Pierce Arrow" in the large number of machines parked near the ball grounds and even Louie had to smile at the fan's thrust.

Doyle With The Club

Scout Billy Doyle is with the team and is quartered at the Olive Hotel, where the players are roomed. They get their meals at Schachleter's restaurant. Doyle will get a line on every player in the Ohio circuit within the next two or three weeks.

BASEBALL

STANDING OF CLUBS

Ohio State League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Lexington			.000
Portsmouth	4	2	.667
Charleston	3	2	.600
Ironton	2	3	.400
Chillicothe	2	3	.500
Frankfort	0	6	.000

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	16	8	.667
Boston	16	11	.593
Chicago	15	13	.536
Pittsburgh	13	11	.542
Brooklyn	12	11	.522
Cincinnati	11	14	.440
St. Louis	12	16	.429
New York	10	14	.417

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	16	9	.640
Detroit	16	11	.621
Boston	18	9	.591
Chicago	16	12	.571
Washington	11	11	.500
Cleveland	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	9	16	.360
St. Louis	10	18	.357

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	19	10	.655
Newark	16	12	.571
Kansas City	15	12	.556
Chicago	16	13	.552
Brooklyn	17	13	.510
St. Louis	12	11	.522
Baltimore	12	17	.414
Buffalo	8	20	.286

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Ohio State League

Lexington 7, Charleston 3.
Portsmouth 10, Ironton 1.
Chillicothe 10, Frankfort 7.

National League

No games.

American League

Detroit 2, New York 0.
Chicago 2, Philadelphia 1.
Cleveland 0, Boston 3; 11 innings.
St. Louis 2, Washington 1; 11 innings.

American Association

Minneapolis 10, Cleveland 5.
St. Paul 2, Columbus 1.
Kansas City 9, Indianapolis 8.

Federal League

Chicago 4, Pittsburgh 3.
St. Louis 4, Kansas City 3; 10 innings.

GAMES TODAY

Ohio State League

Charleston at Lexington.
Portsmouth at Ironton.
Frankfort at Chillicothe.

Gay When You Win

Up in Ironton the ball players ride to and from the park in a big tallyho. Coming back yesterday so many jubilant fans climbed on it, that it almost broke down. And the gang made life miserable for the fans returning from the Ironton game. It's a gay life when you win.

A FABLE

Once upon a time there was an Ironton team that won a game from Portsmouth before a magnificent Sunday crowd.

Moral: That was before Portsmouth elbowed its way into the Ohio State league.

Bill Smiles As Team Wins

President William Gableman smiled expansively as his team scored run after run on good solid smashes. It was refreshing to see Diltz, Sharman, Mills and Jacobus pound the agate Sunday.

King Was Released

Infielder King of the Ironton Nailers was released last night by Manager Smith. Doherty will be used at short.

Popular In Australia

Reports from Australia indicate that baseball continues to grow in popularity.

The seventeenth annual report of the New South Wales Baseball Association shows that the general advancement of the American game was more marked in this state in 1914 than in any previous season, and that the standard of play in all grades was of a high character. A special note expresses satisfaction at the success of school baseball, the wisdom of fostering the game in the nursery section being exemplified by the victories of the youngsters in the interstate matches. As to finances, the Association has a sum of about £1455, an increase of almost £600 over last season.

Big Fish Catch

Neil Bressler caught over thirty pounds of fish in the Scioto river Saturday.

Speed, That's The Cry In Big Leagues

New York, May 17.—The efforts being made in both the major leagues and the Federal league to speed up the daily games is already beginning to show results. Complaints from the cities represented in all three circuits first called the attention of the league executives to the fans' objections to long drawn out contests and there was immediate action on the part of the baseball authorities.

President Ban Johnson of the American league notified the junior organization club managers that less time must be consumed in playing games and that several time-killing practices must be discontinued. President Gilmore of the Federals took similar stand and intimated that he might offer prizes in order to shorten the average playing session. In the National league the matter was also given careful study and several plans considered to improve the conditions.

A study of the playing time figures of the three leagues discloses some interesting details. Using the April contests as a basis it is shown that the average in the American league for from ten to thirteen contests is two hours five one-half minutes. The Federal league clubs under similar conditions required 2 hours 2 1-3 minutes to play nine innings while the National league made the best showing with an average of one hour 52 1-2 minutes.

HOW THEY MANUFACTURE NEWS OVER ON THE GAY WHITE WAY

An interesting insight into the manner in which baseball gossip occasionally upsets big league circles occurred in New York recently.

Manager John McGraw of the Giants, having sicked Benny Kauff, of the Brooklyn Federals to what he considered a binding contract, a club official confided to a friend that the Giants had made a splendid deal whereby a sensational outfielder was to join the New York Nationals. Asked where the player was from, he answered, Brooklyn.

The friend, who is a thirty-third degree fan, forgetting of the existence of the Brooklyns, immediately jumped to the conclusion that Zack Wheat, of the Brooklyn Superbas, was the player meant. He passed the story along and others furnished still further details, including the names of the Giants players Perritt, Murray and Robertson as the trio scheduled to wear Brooklyn uniforms.

The officials of both clubs were dumbfounded when they heard the story and it was not until Kauff tried to jump from the Brooklyns to the Giants that the explanation of the alleged deal for Zack Wheat was found.

TEAM HOME WEDNESDAY

Say, fans, the team will be home Wednesday for an eight day sojourn in Millbrook park.

The Lexington Colts will open a four game series Wednesday and they will be followed by the Ironton Nailers, who will play a similar engagement. The fans have already warmed up to the team and these brace of games are sure to attract splendid week day crowds. The game with Ironton next Sunday should draw 2,000 fans as the teams will battle it through to the last pitch.

No Alibis Dug Up

My, but the Ironton fans grumped Sunday because their team performed so wretchedly. They were dead anxious to see the trick of Saturday repeated, but not with Jacobus working at top speed.

It so happens that Ironton always uncorks one of its worst games when playing Portsmouth before a big crowd.

The team must not have looked like the same one that blanked Portsmouth Saturday 5 to 0. The fans let it be said right here did not dig up any alibis last night for their club. They admitted that the team was outclassed yesterday, but today was another day. So thought Manager Spencer as he watched his willing lads perform so skillfully yesterday.

SMITH SAT ON BENCH

Afflicted with a stiff neck Manager Dick Smith of the Nailers, was forced to sit on the bench and watch his team get lambasted before a big crowd. But some of the plays that his men attempted to execute hurt Dick more than his stiff neck. The team looks good and simply had one of those off days that come to all clubs, even the well fortified top notchers.

THE PITCHERS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Jacobus	2	0	1.000
McCall	2	0	1.000
Vest	1	1	.500
Ferguson	0	1	.000

Complain of Vault

A complaint about an overflowing vault at Seventeenth and Waller streets has been referred to City Sanitary Inspector Arthur Hunton for investigation.

What Next?

Complaint was received by the police Sunday evening about boys in the West End tracing trot lines and stealing the fish hooks.

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THE ST. LAWRENCE TEAM LOST TO HOLY REDEEMER

The Holy Redeemer school team Saturday won a great game from the St. Lawrence parochial team of Ironton, the final being 8 to 7. Here is how they lined up:

Portsmouth—Toomey, cf; Hossell, 2b; Clark, 3b; McNamara, 3b; C. Kneghler, c; Balmert and Woods, lf; Emmett, rf; Dadosky, 1b; Kneghler, p.

Ironton—Gorman, 1b; Barron, ss; Mahle, c; Haney, 3b; Mulligan, 2b; Shachleiter, lf; Mayne, cf; Heider and O'Leary; Kinney, p. Kinney pitched brilliant ball up until the 9th inning, holding his opponents to two hits. The score by innings:

Ironton	1	1	0	2	2	1	0	0	—7
Portsmouth	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	—8

"Smoky" Wood, a heavy slugger was used by the local boys as a pinch hitter in the ninth when the score stood 7 to 5 in favor of the Irontonians and "Smoky" delivered with a triple bring the score when two men raced home ahead of him. Later he scored and won the game.

SPORT SALAD

One is forced to think of "Connie" Mack's "$1,000,000 infield" when in one game Lajoie makes five errors and Barry makes four in another.

"I'm chilled to the bone," complained the player.

"That's all right," answered his manager. "I want cool headed men on my team."

Reports from Cincinnati state that the Cincinnati directors recently summoned Herzog for a conference, but he sent word he was too busy. "Buck" has a two year old contract and will not permit the directors to interfere with his work, as they have done with that of his predecessors.

To date "Eddie" Collins has not been hitting the ball as he did when with the Athletics, but he has played in luck in being passed to first and is keeping up his average of runs scored.

One year ago today the Braves were in last place, with a record of three games won, thirteen lost and a percentage of .176. Still they won the pennant. Nothing this, the cloud "fans" should take heart.

IS HITTING .666

Is Larry Jacobus a hitter? Shucks has Rawn D. got the kids?

Jacobus in the two games in which he has performed so classily in the box has stepped to the plate 9 times and 6 times he has laced the ball into unguarded spots. And one was a lusterous triple. The Cincinnati kid is certainly in good with Portsmouth fans. He simply breezed through Sunday and outdistanced the field. Some twirler this good natured German.

To date he is hitting at a .666 clip.

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HAS THE RIGHT RING.

Sometimes there is just a momentary flash thrown that illumines clearer and more understandingly than the steadiest and strongest protestation and explanation.

Because this is true we wish that the short interview that General Jacob Smith gave The Times the other day, anent our contention with Germany, could be focused upon the attention of every reasonable citizen.

General Smith knows what war is, he has been there, as the saying is. Of a truth he has seen the delirium and horrors of more than one war and none will accuse him of ever turning his back on an enemy. Even to the contrary he has been accused of disposition to meet the foe better than half way and chase him the balance of the distance. Knowing therefore of what he speaks this old warrior bold cautions that we civilians be serene and forbear ourselves in patience, lest we provoke trouble that is far best avoided, unless there be no possible escape in dignity and self respect. It is most wholesome that he should insist that those, whose so called business it is to fight, do not now, nor any other time want war merely for war's sake. They know full well just what their business is, all the suffering, the sorrow and anguish of it, and they are the last to wantonly provoke it, or desire. Yes, it is well he should tell us now for the very solemnity of the situation gives truth an ear and a credence that it would not have at another time.

'TWAS EVER THUS.

It is to be noted that a large number of papers are laboring with all their might and main to make the hero of the doomed Lusitania none other than Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt. That is all well enough in its way and we are proud to know the man died as an American should die, but after all the way these papers adopt is a poor one, because those who are following it are the very ones that treated Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt so unfairly and indecently in his life time. He was a millionaire, may be more than a hundred times a millionaire, but that in itself made him neither worse nor better. His measure as a man lay solely in his actions and character. In the supreme moment, the moment when death or life was at his choice he chose death that the women and the kiddies might have the better chance for life. Here action placed the supreme test on his character and approved it. And the approval shows the meanness, the wantonness of those prising him dead, assailing him alive, just because they knew nothing about him, except his exceeding wealth made him an easy and popular victim to detraction.

A POLITICAL INCIDENT.

The Gallipolis Tribune says of a political incident in the career of the late Judge A. C. Thompson:

"The death of Mr. George Falloon, formerly of Athens, in Kansas recently recalls some political history of the late 80's when Judge Thompson, General Enochs and General Grosvenor were contesting for a congressional nomination. The first convention met at Ironton during a terribly hot streak of weather, and after a day or two of futile balloting adjourned to meet in Gallipolis. It developed that Grosvenor could not be nominated, and his Meigs and Athens delegations were assembled in a room at the Park Central hotel and pledged stoutly to vote solidly for Judge Thompson and stick there no matter what might happen. An hour later at the court house the Lawrence county delegation, under the adroit management of Col. E. S. Wilson, seduced the Grosvenor forces into believing their candidate would be nominated by them, without giving any promise to that effect. Under this delusion, the Athens and Meigs delegations were swung back to Grosvenor. Right here was where Falloon showed his integrity and manhood. He arose and protested against his vote, being switched after he had given his solemn pledge that it should be cast for Thompson.

The upshot of the easy morals of the Athens and Meigs delegations was that Enochs was nominated when they all preferred Thompson. We never forgot Falloon's faithfulness to his word. Grosvenor retired to his room in a towering rage and abused Judge Thompson bitterly, just why we never understood, for the Judge stood by his agreement with the Grosvenor men to the letter."

What we need most is quiet now and peace secure and unbroken all the time.

ONE FLAG, ONE COUNTRY, ONE PEOPLE.



A FACE THAT IS VANISHED.

The Washington Post prints a list of more than a dozen Republican presidential possibilities ranking them as follows: Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, Senator John W. Weeks of Massachusetts, Senator William E. Borah James R. Mann of Illinois, Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, Elihu Root of New York, Philander C. Knox of Philadelphia, Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana, Senator Albert B. Cummings of Iowa, Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman of Illinois, Gov. Frank B. Willis of Ohio, Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, and Gov. Charles S. Whitman, of New York.

A bunch of beauties, with some lumbing hollyhocks entwined. More than a dozen count 'em, just 13, hoodoo. Some are possibilities, some are potentialities, some are full blossomed, some incipient, some evanescent, some fully vanished, considered as candidates merely. In the latter class may be classed the good young Governor from Ohio. He unfolded as a possibility on the morning of November 4th last because it was found he had most inexpectedly defeated a most excellent man. He withered, he vanished in the cold light of the next day after the legislature met. There never was such another legislature in Ohio, may be not in any other state for that matter, and Willis must bear all the blame of it. That may not look exactly just, but it is the quintessence of justice to hold him solely responsible for all its antics, the little good, the some indifferent and the much totally and altogether bad. It is so because the good young Governor showed he could dominate the body and he actually did wherever it suited him to doff his pretence of hands off and tell it where to head in.

It's easy to figure that in the little unpleasantness between the journeymen and the boss plumbers the latter believe silence is golden. As yet none of our bright and tireless reporters has been able to extract a word from a single one of them on "what's the trouble."

As one drives over the little jog of paved highway in the country outside of Portsmouth, he wonders why so much of the taxpayers' money has been as bad as thrown away for so many years past.

We agree with the Marion Star that the rainpost is twin brother to the umbrella. It is always at the other end of the line when the rain comes.

Roosevelt and Barnes having each solemnly deposed and sworn that he was in politics solely for the benefit of the country and the uplift of the common people the trial jury may now draw straws as to which it will give the palm of credibility.

Engine Balked

John Hotzel, son of Jacob Hotzel, of Fourth street, met with an engine failure, just this side of Piketon Sunday evening and his automobile was towed back to Portsmouth by Herman Multer.

Complain of Boys

Officer Grant Goings has been directed to break up the practice of boys congregating nightly at Mill and Sinton streets destroying property and otherwise annoying residents of that vicinity.

This old world runs mighty funny. In Philadelphia they arrested a newsboy for crying out "War Declared!" but they let the man who voted in 387 places in one day go, because what he had done was only a matter of course—after a city gets used to it.

If one can make a guess from the talk of the newspapers in Italy, Sweden, Norway and Holland some darker days are dawning just ahead for a gentleman named William.

Here's West Virginia that's been "hollering her head off" for an extra session of the legislature, yelling what are we going to do with it now that it has been called.

Some people believe in making hay while the sun shines, the Japs believe in grabbing territory while the clouds are gathered thick elsewhere.

The all-absorbing question is: On what side is the kingdom of Monaco going to land in this clash of the mighty nation's.

The United States has given sixty million dollars to the relief of Belgium, and that's only a starter.

The man who was to sail on the Lusitania, but didn't gains fame without the concomitant of a watery grave.

The way the improvement is progressing the West Siders will soon have experience of what a real road is.

One of the worst things is we may expect a constant eruption from a once noted individual by the name of Rich Hobson.

Credit to one William Howard Taft. He talks like an American should talk at this particular juncture.

Whatever else you do keep both cool and quiet.

Sketches of Life in Little New York
By McIntyre.

New York, May 17.—The famous old Broadway Central Hotel has been forced into bankruptcy, after many years struggle against the guestless business section which supplanted the once gay lower Broadway.

It was in the Broadway Central Hotel that Ed. S. Stokes killed Colonel "Jim" Fisk, the gayest sport the White Way has ever known. They had quarrelled over Josie Mansfield and the shooting took place on the stairway. It was the home of Fire Chief Croker and as such received columns of publicity.

The moving of the city's theater district northward and the construction of the new subway which blocked the hotel's doors, and the invasion of the quick lunch all combined to make the once famous hotel a failure. It had entertained such distinguished guests at Patti, Edwin Booth and Jimmy Land.

In later years it housed diplomats, actresses, prize fighters, southern planters and western mine millionaires. It remained always the American plan.

Bank clerks in New York, the limit is rife, are going to demand higher salaries. They declare that in no other line where tact, honesty, and loyalty are so essential is the pay so small.

One more or less facetious bank employee, who signs himself W. E. H. writes to his favorite paper:

Working in a bank is a great business education for a young man. It teaches him to appreciate a good job when he gets one. The spectacle of the poor but honest boy sweeping out a bank and ending up as the president is the most inspiring picture ever painted by a cocaine artist.

First the banker catches a boy for whom wealth has no charms. At the end of each week the boy is insulted with the small bank boy salary. At the end of something under thirty years, after he has stepped aside seventeen times to make room for relatives of stockholders, he is made assistant teller with the same salary as a blacksmith's apprentice. The best opening for a young man in a bank is the door.

Some bankers however, grow whiskers and go to South America. They afford in this manner big expense accounts for sleuths.

Harry Harris was entertaining a friend from Washington the other day along Broadway. They met Kid Broad on Broadway and Harris introduced the former pugilist to his friend. When they parted five minutes later the Washington man smiled.

"I'm awfully glad to have met you, Mr. Wide," he said.

May Irwin was in a theater the other night when she was handed a message from her home in the Thousand Islands announcing the birth of a Jersey calf. "Mother and child are doing well," the message added.

One of the readjustments of the world's commerce during the past few months will be of commercial profit to New York. The work has shut off Ireland with its population of 35,000 and the Danish colony seeks the establishment of a direct steamship line to New York. It is expected that it will soon be shipping its dried fish, wool, and mutton and receiving in return flour and other supplies.

Down on Baxter street the other day a boy of 15 years of age—a child of the tenements—was found to have been a victim of cocaine sniffing. For years, three—to be exact, he has craved the drug and what was supposed to have been an inherited weak body by his parents was found to have resulted from drug addiction. It was an indication of the cunning which even young dopo fiends acquire. More than 100 cocaine fiends on the Bowery have "saddle noses."

CONTRACT FOR N. & W. BRANCH

Williamson, W. Va., May 17.—J. E. Crawford, chief engineer Norfolk and Western Railway Company, Roanoke, Va., today awarded the contract to H. M. Waugh, of Orange, Va., to build a main line, including coal company, side tracks to Leckie's mines, leading from the Williamson and Pond Creek Railway near Williamson, W. Va. Excavation will run over 100,000 yards, same to be completed in six months' shovel work. Mr. Waugh will have his office at Williamson, W. Va.

Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

MANY CASES OF RHEUMATISM NOW

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure and Eat Less Meat.

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keens accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

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Doc Kokos Column

Seed Time

Dig a bit and rake a bit,
And then we use our hoes,
Until we mark the garden out
In little beds and rows.

Here a seed and there a seed,
Each in its proper place,
And never mind the garden earth
That gets on hands and face.

Here a look and there a look,
As spring days come and go
And won't it all be wonderful
When plants begin to grow?
—Christian Science Monitor.

Can See to Powder Nose

"I see nothing unusual about the typewriter."

"Didn't you notice the mirror attachment? You have no idea how much time it saves a girl."—Kansas City Journal.

Big Wisher

Harry—Marry, one and your smallest wishes will always be fulfilled.

Carrie—I am able to do that myself. What I wait is a man who will gratify my biggest wishes.—Town Topics.

Ring Up a Nickel

Biz—Say, old boy, face—nuisance rooms dangerous!

Whiz—Oh, hot stockmarket, why?

Biz—Nothing, I just took a sorority house parlor that's all.

(Ed. note—Don't give it up, it put us to sleep too!)—Siren.

Scrub Team's Job

Dum Nut—"Look at 'em all up that spout. How will they ever get clean?"

Wiseacre—"Huh! What do you suppose the scrub team's for?"—Tiger Cub.

Polished!

"Goodness," she exclaimed sarcastically, "but you were born bright!"

Certainly, he agreed, and knocking around has polished me considerably."—Judge.

Its Nature

"The suspects were certainly in a fever over that investigation, weren't they?"

"Yes, and I guess they were afraid it was the spotted fever."—Baltimore American.

Having a Good Time

Hicks—What kind of a girl is she?

Wicks—Oh, her idea of a good time is to sit in the dark with a muff in her lap, between two young men and let the young men hold each other's hands inside the muff.—Ex.

Why He Followed

"I follow the medical profession," remarked the newcomer proudly. "Surgeon?" was asked politely. "No, undertaker," he replied gravely.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Don't's For Girls

Wellesley, Mass., Wellesley College has followed the fashion and now has its own selected list of don't's. Here are some of them:

"Don't flirt with the handsome young fellow down town. His wife may not like it.

Don't go through the village street chewing candy or anything else. If you must chew, try the rag.

"Don't retire with undrawn curtains. The rubber industry flourishes in other places than South America.

"Don't believe the village chap that tells you he loves every hair on your head. He may know more about hair than he lets on.

"Don't be a freak. The squirrels have enough nuts to attend to now.

"Don't study too hard. Your friends might think you are going to work for a living.

"Don't kiss each other in public. It's awful to see a woman doing a man's work."

Sprained An Ankle

Miss Jeanie Adams, 1123 Second street, had the misfortune to sprain an ankle in a fall Sunday morning.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

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Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

POLLY AND HER PALS

GRAND SCHEME---YEP GRAND!---IF PA HADN'T FLOPPED.



Senator Harding Had A Busy Time In Peerless City

United States Senator Warren G. Harding spent an exceedingly busy day in Portsmouth Sunday from the time he arose until he left the city Sunday afternoon.

Early Sunday morning, he and his wife accompanied their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard, to the Trinity M. E. Sunday School where Senator Harding later made a twenty minute address to the combined men's classes of Prof. J. H. Finney, Charles E. Hard, John T. Breece and M. W. Brown in the basement room of the church. The address was a telling one and was greatly enjoyed by his auditors, who numbered over three hundred.

A short time later Senator Harding made a ten minutes address before the entire Sunday School in the main church auditorium, which was also a gem.

After the Sabbath School Senator and Mrs. Harding and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard quietly walked into the First Baptist church where the Senator and his wife being worshipers of that faith. No notice of their coming had reached them and few in the audience knew that a United States senator was worshipping with them. Before the close of the service, however, Dr. T. H. Kelly and the distinguished visitors and just before the dismissed the service called upon his congregation to greet them. The Senator and his wife were given an informal reception at the close of the service, the congregation passing around to shake hands with them.

After church, they went to the home of Mark W. Selby, 2nd Fourth street, where they were entertained at dinner. The Senator's secretary, Geo. B. Christian, was entertained at the Selby home during his entire stay.

Early in the afternoon, Senator Harding, his wife, and secretary and Edwin Jones and Elmer Sell of Jackson left in the Senator's automobile for Jackson, where the Senator planned to stop for a few minutes. Later he intended to proceed on to Marietta, where he is scheduled for an address today before the Chamber of Commerce.

During his stay here, Senator Harding and wife were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard, of Franklin avenue. They were the guests of honor at a six o'clock dinner held Saturday evening at the Hard home. The other guests were Edwin Jones of Jackson, George D. Selby, Levi D. York, Philo S. Clark and F. W. Meyers.

BACK RIPPED BY AN UNKNOWN KNIFEMAN

John Luther, an N. & W. construction laborer of Sciotoville, was the victim of a mysterious cutting affray that occurred near Second and Madison streets, Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Luther, returning from the street fair grounds, when someone slipped up behind him and inflicted a slash down the middle of his back, extending from the shoulder blade to the hip joint. The cut was over a foot long. Luther took to his heels before his unknown enemy could inflict any more damage. Arriving at the Roy Lynn boarding stable he almost dropped in his tracks from sheer loss of blood.

Police were notified and the city service wagon rushed the wounded man to Dr. W. W. Smith's office but that physician advised his removal to Hemstead hospital where he attended him. It required twenty some stitches to sew up the wound. Luther suffered several hemorrhages but against the advice of the attending nurses he arose early Sunday morning and left the hospital. Luther made no attempt to explain the assault and police did not press him for an explanation.

POLICE RAID A CRAP GAME

Officers Callahan, Smith and Theo. Branham raided a crap game at the home of Sam Boyer, an aged negro, near Sixteenth and Kinney streets, Sunday noon.

Men caught in the drag net gave the names of Boyer, Alex. Davis, Ed Coopers and Henry Richardson, negroes, and John Jackson and George Sallers, white, both of whom money were found on the floor by the officers, who had been shadowing the house. It was claimed that Boyer was acting as look-out, but as a freight train was passing he stepped back into the house and the officers, unobserved, followed him into the place. Several succeeded in giving bond and were released.

It was at Boyer's home that W. A. Ellsworth, former N. & W. detective, came to grief some months ago. He had gone there under the pretense of shadowing coal thieves when John Cooper, white, surprised him in company with his wife, causing his arrest. He was convicted in police court of disorderly conduct and later lost his position. The Coopers immediately separated.

BANQUET

A complete account of the big Republican banquet will be found in this evening's paper. It had to be omitted from the noon edition because of lack of space.

SUNDAY TO BE EVENTFUL DAY AT ST. MARY'S

Next Sunday will be an eventful day at St. Mary's church. A class, class, the crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary and following this impressive ceremony the first communicants will renew their baptismal vows and be invested with the Scapular.

Next Sunday will be an eventful day at St. Mary's church. A class of twenty-five children, 17 boys and 8 girls, will make their first holy communion at High mass which will be celebrated at 7:30 o'clock. A low mass will follow at 10 o'clock.

OWLS TO HAVE SOCIAL SESSION

An interesting social session will follow the regular weekly meeting of the Order of Owls, which will be held at its hall this evening. A large attendance of the members is desired as business of importance is to come up for discussion. Among other things, the contract for the Greater Sheesley Shows for some time in August will likely be closed, while the lodge will take action on the invitation of the Sons of Veterans to join with them in the observance of the patriotic program on Thursday evening, May 20th.

GOVERNOR WILLIS LEFT IN AUTOMOBILE

Governor Willis left Portsmouth Sunday morning in Henry T. Bannon's automobile for Chillicothe, where he boarded a Scioto Valley traction car for Columbus. A long, roundabout way was chosen, the Governor having expressed a desire to see as much as possible of Scioto and Pike counties.

Two automobiles, containing five men each, made the trip. The party left the Washington hotel at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and went from here to Sciotoville, where they took the road for Dixon's Mills and Harrisonville, passing through Little California and the Beaver valley to Waverly. From Waverly the machines continued direct to Chillicothe, where the entire party took dinner at the Warner House. Governor Willis and the other visitors in the party boarded the traction car at two o'clock.

In the party were Governor Willis, George H. Jones, a lawyer, of Columbus, Dr. F. W. Young, Henry T. Bannon and son, Louis, in the Bannon car and Harry M. Daugherty, Harry Hall, state banking superintendent, Roy McElhaney, F. W. Meyers and John Eckhart in the Eckhart car.

Shady Nook Open

The Shady Nook camp at Franklin Furnace has opened for the season with the same old faithful custodian, "Dad" Kimbley in charge.

Flood Is Responsible For Woman's Death

The 1913 flood was the indirect cause of the untimely death of Mrs. Mary Pennington, aged 30 years, wife of Henry Pennington, a former N. & W. engineer, whose remains arrived in the city from Comfort, Texas, Sunday night for burial here.

Mrs. Pennington died at Comfort on May 12th of tuberculosis which she developed after contracting a cold from their unprotected home after the flood in East Portsmouth. Mrs. Pennington gave up his position and left with his wife and her mother, Mrs. Jos. Morgan for Fayette, Iowa, where the latter took up her residence a year ago. There she spent last summer, going for the winter to Texas. She and husband were just preparing to return to Iowa for the summer when she took a turn for the worse and soon succumbed to her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennington were married four years ago. An only son by a former marriage, Harold, makes his home with his grandmother in Iowa. They arrived here Monday noon, accompanied by Mrs. Pennington's only surviving brother, Jos. Morgan and family of Detroit, Mich.

The remains were removed by Undertaker Doehler to the home of Mrs. Pennington's aunt, Mrs. William Pipton of No. 626 Tenth street. The funeral will take place probably Tuesday.

Mrs. Pennington was a member of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church having affiliated with the church during the Billy Sunday meeting here a few years ago.

No Action Taken On Plumbers' Dispute

Another mass meeting of the allied craft in the Building Trades Council was held Sunday afternoon at the Central Labor Council hall to discuss the merits of the controversy between the master and journeymen plumbers. Over one hundred men attended the meeting, which lasted almost two hours.

Harry Strong, the business agent, announced after the meeting, that there was nothing official to give out regarding the meeting, but he stated that the matter was discussed from every angle. It being Sunday, the council could not take a vote on the proposition, the by-laws of the organization prohibiting any action on Sunday.

Dig Deep for Mineral Wealth.

Michigan is said to have the deepest mines in the world, but ore is being mined at the depth of 5,000 feet in the Cattis shaft, the deepest gold mine of the Witwatersrand in South Africa. Considering the small and uniform increase in temperatures in this shaft and the fact that there are apparently no mechanical barriers, it is believed that mining can be carried on at a profit at a depth as great as 8,000 feet.

Pearls From Bahrein.

The Bahrein islands are now the center of the world's pearl trade. They are on the western shores of the Persian gulf and have become the most important part of the fisheries of that body of water, which is the chief source of the world's pearl supply.

THE GREATEST MISSIONARY

Drawn by Eva Shepherd



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Five Injured When Everling Automobile Turns Turtle

Mrs. Charles Leichner, Misses Isabelle Leichner and Hazel Marks, of child, Ruth Leichner, 6, and Charles Farmer were injured about 1:30 Saturday afternoon, on Main street, Sciotoville, when Leslie Everling's five passenger Maxwell car skidded and overturned. Mrs. Leichner, Misses Leichner and Marks and Mr. Farmer were caught under the machine.

The Marks girl was the most seriously injured of the party. Her collar-bone was fractured, three ribs on her right side fractured and a gash several inches long cut in her right knee. Mrs. Leichner had her right wrist dislocated and was bruised about the body. Her two daughters, Isabelle and Ruth, escaped with slight bruises and lacerations. Mr. Farmer had his left leg badly bruised.

The automobile was only a short time before taken out of the Pfeil and garage Saturday noon, where it had undergone repairs for several days. The car is the same that skidded with Ernest Everling and a party of friends Wednesday night and crashed into a tree in front of the Times office.

Mrs. Leichner and daughters and Mr. Farmer, who is from Ironton, were in the rear seat, Miss Marks and Mr. Everling being in the front seat. The party was going at a fair rate of speed and were just one square this side of the Little Scioto covered bridge when, it is claimed, Vaughn Brock, young son of Charles Brock, started across the street from the left side with a bicycle. Everling, who was driving, swerved to the left side of the road, and the young lad, badly scared, stopped, turned the bicycle around and started a retreat for the opposite side of the street. Everling then swerved quickly to the right to avoid hitting the lad. The machine hit the rear wheel of the bicycle and badly mashed it, young Brock escaping serious injury by a narrow margin. The sudden swerve to the right caused the machine to skid, and it went flying to the right side of the road, turning completely over in the front yard of the Edward Basham lot.

Everling was thrown out and escaped with minor bruises and lacerations. On gaining his feet Everling looked around for the rest of the party.

Farmer's body was the first seen by Everling. He lifted the machine to allow Farmer to get out. Farmer's leg was pinned to the ground by the back of the rear seat. The two men lifted the car so Mrs. Leichner and daughter, Isabelle, could get out. Little Ruth, not waiting to be lifted, opened the door to the rear seat and crawled out while her mother and sister were being taken care of on the opposite side of the machine. Miss Marks was unable to move. She was in a dazed condition when the car was lifted to one side. She was pinned to the ground by the back of the front seat.

Dr. J. W. Hutchens of Sciotoville, and Dr. W. G. Cheney, of New Boston, were hurriedly called. Dr. Hutchens treated Miss Marks and moved her home. Dr. Cheney dressed the wounds of the other members of the party.

The car was badly damaged. One wheel was torn off, the front fenders were badly bent, the steering gear was damaged, the wind-shield broken and the front axle broken.

Miss Marks' knee was cut on a piece of glass from the wind-shield. She spent a very restless night Saturday, but Monday was reported resting easy. The other members of the party are getting along nicely. Miss Leichner is a Senior of the local High school and Miss Marks is an office employee at the Irving Brow factory. Mr. Everling, who lives on Long Run, and Mr. Farmer are pair hunters at the Whitaker-Glessner steel plant.

Must Clear Sidewalk

The city has given J. L. Marshall ten days' notice to entirely clear the space where a sidewalk should be on his property at Fourth and Glover streets. Failure to comply with the notice will mean that the city will take legal steps to enforce the city ordinance with reference to obstructing sidewalks.

Didn't Like Florida

Wren Austin, son of Rev. D. S. Austin, formerly of South Portsmouth, returned here Saturday from Florida, not having found that state to his liking. His father, is operating a large orange farm in Florida.

Three Things to Remember.

It is a maxim universally agreed upon in agriculture, that nothing must be done too late; and again, that everything must be done at its proper season; while there is a third precept which reminds us that opportunities lost can never be regained.—Pliny the Elder.

Portsmouth Man Presiding

James T. Layn, of Detroit, formerly of Portsmouth, is presiding over the tenth annual convention of the Natural Gas Association of America in Cincinnati this week. There are more than 800 representatives of the organization attending the meeting.

Plans Completed For Patriotic Meet

Announcement of the big patriotic meeting to be held at the High School Auditorium next Friday evening, May 21, was made by the ministers of the various churches from their pulpits Sunday, as the meeting is public and for everybody who wishes to honor the illustrious Grand Army of the Republic. The committee from Sons of Veterans, Spanish American War Veterans and Jr. O. U. A. M. having the meeting in preparation are perfecting their plans to make it a great success, the largest and best meeting of the kind, and there's no better, ever held in Southern Ohio. The spacious High school auditorium has been secured for the meeting and while this auditorium is one of the largest in the city, it is expected it will be packed Friday evening, as an excellent program will feature the meeting. There will be much of interest to every one and numbers to please all.

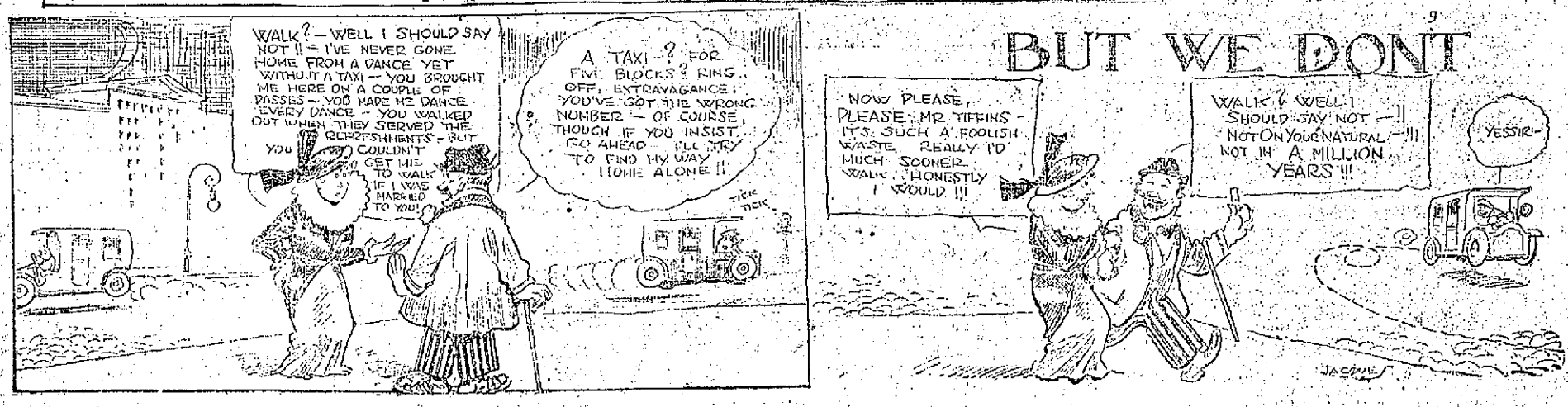
The parade to be given before the meeting, from Fifth and Market streets, thence to Second, Second to Chillicothe, Chillicothe to Gallia, thence to the High school building, is going to be a big feature of the meeting. The safety department, several bands and all orders and societies have been invited and are expected to participate and turn out in force. The fine old hero of the G. A. R. and their ladies will have the honor position in the parade, but they will be covered in automobiles procured for this occasion. The following are the names of gentlemen who have already kindly tendered the loan of their cars, and more are coming:

James S. Thomas, Edgar Thompson, D. H. Dillon, Frank Appel, H. T. Bannon, T. C. Beatty, D. A. Alspaugh, P. E. Selby, Filmore Musser, Edward Strimmatter, John T. Breece, M. A. Caldwell, M. H. Shumway, W. B. Anderson.

All cars are to be sent out with driver, or driven by owners, and will report to grand marshal or aides for assignment in parade. It is believed at least twenty-five to thirty cars will be needed, and the names of all others tendering their cars for this occasion will be published in later issues. Those wishing to join this list will please notify Harry M. Sickles, chairman of the automobile committee, at Times office, or 841 Seventh street.

The joint committee will meet this, Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock at the store of Harry W. Matthiott, on Gallia street, to prepare a program and perfect final arrangements for the meeting and parade. Representatives from other lodges who wish to attend this meeting will be cordially welcome. The committee has only one aim and one object in view—to do honor to th Grand Army of the Republic just before they honor their dead, and in this all can participate.

IF WE SAID WHAT WE THOUGHT



Rev. McAfee Delivers Sermon On European War

Pastor Says Country Faces A Big Crisis; Leo Frank Case

Before a splendid audience Sunday evening, Rev. T. H. McAfee, pastor of the First Baptist church, delivered a strong sermon concerning the great conflict that has practically all of Europe in its grasp. The pastor was calm and deliberate in his sermon, weighing his words carefully. He based practically all of his remarks on the Bible and his sermon will go down as one of the most forceful ever heard from a Portsmouth pulpit.

He said in part: "Faith is always born of hardship and affliction. Affliction is either retributive, preventative or disciplinarian."

"The ancients believed that the presence of pestilence, war, calamity and affliction was God's judgment upon the nation for disobedience and sin. When this was recognized, they repented and peace was restored.

"The present condition of the world today is not the manifestation of the common ills of life, but the result of years of disobedience of God in some way."

Rev. McAfee spoke of "the rationalistic criticism that the nation of Germany has been following for the past twenty-five years, whose rationalistic theory has stripped Christ of his garment of immortality, the glory of the virgin birth, broken His scepter of atonement and trampled the diadem of eternal glory and left the devout German heart grieved without a Saviour.

"If Christ be real, if God's word, law and the purpose be the authentic word of God, how long do you suppose that any nation can remain at peace when antagonistic to the real Christ and the Bible?"

The speaker spoke concerning the conditions in England. He said: "England made her millions when China pleaded on her knees for help. But the greed of English commercialism forced the opium on China to damn her manhood and prostitute her womanhood for a few millions annually. Today she is paying millions to fight her way out of a hard place."

He spoke of the predominance of Voltairism in France. Of Belgium he spoke of the beautiful country, her palaces, where high carnival was held. But Belgium has paid little attention to the tears and suffering of the black man in Africa, who toils in the King's rubber fields. The King forgot what God uttered three thousand years ago, "Woe unto the man who builds his house on unrighteousness and his chambers on wrong." Do you think that God has not been watching Russia in her chaining of innocent men and women, tearing them away from children and sending them over the snow-capped mountains to Siberia?

"I do not utter these things because of any current events, but I have a firm conviction that God Almighty has taken peace from the Old World. For there is a passage of scripture that declares that He can and will take peace from the earth.

"My own beloved country stands in a crisis of her history in the presence of God as never before. We have the Leo Frank case on our hands. The first thing that I would say to my countrymen is this: that Frank is a Hebrew—that if he is guilty the state of Georgia should carry out the judgment of the court, but if he is innocent we do well to remember that God has said in His Covenant with Abraham: 'He that curseth you I will curse, and he that blesseth you I will bless.' You may think the preacher a fool, but if this country electrocutes Frank and he is innocent, remember that we reckon with God. The evidence in this case and trial proves to a great number of conservative men and women that conviction and sentence were brought about by race prejudice. I would have you remember the Dreyfuss case, the Daniel case, the three Hebrew children case. In all of this I speak not so much to defend a Jew—although if innocent I would not hesitate—but I speak in warning and in defense of my own land. Be careful that the innocent blood of no Hebrew rests on the hands of our country.'

Every American citizen who has the future welfare of America at heart and who believes in the innocence of Frank, should sign the petition for his pardon.

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SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

ORIN GOULD SETS OFF MINE UNDER EDWIN JONES

The Enquirer Sunday carried the following dispatch:

"Jackson, O., May 15—By the reorganization of the Republican County Executive Committee State Chairman Edwin Jones has lost control of the Jackson County Committee.

"Elmer Sell, district assessor, who has been chairman of the committee, and who is a Jones henchman, was requested to resign, and upon his refusal was deposed and O. B. Gould, ancient political enemy of State Chairman Jones, was elected in his stead.

"Jones, who was present, hotly protested at the committee's action and predicted that the county would go Democratic as a result.

"It is said that the ignoring of the committee's recommendations by the county and State Chairmen, and dissatisfaction at the small amount of patronage accorded this county were the causes of the action taken."

Decides the Day's Temper

Often a man's breakfast cup of coffee puts him "on edge" the rest of the day. Wise wives have learned that there is a blend of Golden Sun Coffee to exactly suit hubby's taste. Your grocer will tell you which blend it is.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Section One of the Woman's Union will meet at the church on Tuesday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock.

Class No. 2, Loyal Bereans, will hold a social Thursday evening of this week at the home of Miss Woolman, Eighth and John streets. Everybody invited. Tickets 10 cents. Ice cream and cake and a royal good time.

Ward No. 2 of the Men's Union will meet at the church at the close of prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Let every member be present.

Section No. 2 of the Woman's Union will meet at the church Thursday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock.

Section No. Three of the Woman's Union will meet Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Gilliland, 822 Chillicothe street, over Stearns' music store. All members are urged to be present.

Section No. Four will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ward, 817 Prospect street. Every member is expected to attend this meeting. Business of importance.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Topic, "The Cure for Restlessness." Leader, Gilbert Dodds. Scripture, John 14-1:31.

The men of the Fourth ward will meet at the home of Jesse Beck, 817 Murray street, this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

The men of the Third ward will meet at the home of Chester Kerr, 915 Offnere street, Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Section No. 5 of the Woman's Union will met with Mrs. John Allard, 1319, Spring street, Friday afternoon.

The Loyal Philatheas will hold a class meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Virgil Jones, 1711 Sixth street. All members are urged to attend.

Every service Sunday was well attended, particularly the Bible school, when 903 were present. Much disappointment was expressed because Governor Frank B. Willis was unable to be present. The governor had expected to attend the session of the Loyal Men's class, but it became necessary for him to return to Columbus early Sunday morning. He was motored to Chillicothe by his host, Henry T. Brannon, where he took a train for Columbus. However, Lieutenant John Arnold attended the Bible school session and addressed the large school. The occasion was Cradle Roll Day and the lieutenant governor stated in the course of his well-timed remarks that he had never seen so many babies in his life, indicating that race suicide had not struck the First Christian church. At the morning church service Rev. Oakley spoke on the subject, "The Greatness of My Task." In the evening his subject was, "The Broken Ladder." Both sermons were of high order and eloquently delivered.

A PORTSMOUTH REPORT

Fully Corroborated and Easily Investigated

Do you need a good kidney medicine? Then read the reports in these very columns of Portsmouth persons cured or benefited with Doan's Kidney Pills. You won't have to go far to find out if they are true. This Portsmouth case is an example. Others will follow:

J. H. Farmer, retired merchant, 2027 Gallia street, Portsmouth, says: "Heavy lifting brought on kidney trouble when I was in a hardware store about five years ago. When I bent over to lift a keg of nails, severe pains caught me in the small of my back and I could hardly move. My kidneys acted irregularly and I noticed that the kidney secretions contained sediment. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Flood & Blake's Pharmacy, brought relief from the first and by the time I had finished two boxes, I was cured. That cure has been a lasting one."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Farmer had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Arch Kimble Held On Serious Charge

Arch Kimble was given a special hearing in police court Monday on a charge of obtaining money from H. T. Hatton under false pretenses.

Kimble is said to have approached Mr. Hatton one day last week and told him that he could secure three watches for him for $3. Believing that Kimble might be able to produce some of the watches that were recently stolen from his office, Mr. Hatton advanced the amount asked for. Later Kimble is said to have returned and reported that the man refused to part with the watches but that he would give up five watches for twenty dollars. Mr. Hatton then gave him twenty dollars and had a man to shadow Kimble. He found him shortly afterwards without the watches and all the money gone excepting 35 cents. He then caused his arrest.

Kimble was given until 9 o'clock Tuesday morning to tell what he knows about the watches and to explain what disposition he made of the money and meanwhile sentence was deferred.

Couple Caught In Police Raid, Fined

A man giving the name of William Clark and a woman styling herself as Mary Cosley, were caught in a police raid on a home at the rear of the Stanley Prichard auto garage Sunday evening.

The pair forfeited bonds of $25 each by failing to appear in police court Monday morning.

Threw Hen Fruit At His Father

Floyd Bowman, of Union street, who was accused of forging tickets and fighting at the street fair grounds and who earlier in the evening had assaulted his father by throwing an egg at him, was fined $10.

Fred Taylor, who is said to have assaulted a member of the street fair committee, because he had an officer to stop a friendly wrestling match between him and Dave Lewis, was fined $10. Harry Davis who was arrested for fighting at the street fair, also drew a $10 fine. Bashta Oupi was fined $5 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Some More Familiar Names

Clarence Jones and H. Davis were the names given by two men who were fined $5 each for alleged committing a nuisance. Jim Ackerman, William Lemon, J. H. Kelley, William Kennedy and Van DeLotell were fined $5 each for intoxication and the latter two ordered to work on the streets.

Katie Queen, who vamoosed following a general row on Eleventh street a few days ago, gave herself up Monday and pleaded to be allowed to remain in the city. The court ordered her to leave the Diltz home and to behave herself.

McKinley Hurd, who was convicted of furnishing liquor to his cousin, Bess Hurd and the three negroes caught in the company of Fronie Hollingsworth, will likely be taken to the Cincinnati workhouse Wednesday.

HOW WOMEN AVOID OPERATIONS

By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Cleveland, Ohio—"My left side pained me so for several years that I expected to have to undergo an operation, but the first bottle I took of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of the pains in my side and I continued its use until I became regular and free from pains. I had asked several doctors if there was anything I could take to help me and they said there was nothing that they knew of. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."—Mrs. C. H. Griffith, 1568 Constant St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Hanover, Pa.—"I suffered from female trouble and the pains were so bad at times that I could not sit down. The doctor advised a severe operation but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it. What joy and happiness it is to be well once more. I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for the Compound."—Mrs. Ada Wilt, 333 Walnut St., Hanover, Pa.

If there are any complications you do not understand write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

COAT IS RECOVERED

A blue silk lined coat which Miss Mary K. Reed, 918 Second street, lost from her automobile while motoring Saturday was recovered by Officer Roy Moore Sunday.

By diligent inquiry Officer Moore learned that a coat hanger vender known as "Blacky" had found the coat at New Boston and sold it to a woman for 50 cents. This woman in turn sold the coat to Miss Jessie Strong, of New Eighth street. Moore paid the latter the amount she had given for the coat and returned it to Miss Reed, who handsomely rewarded him for his successful efforts.

Bob Gillilan In From Trip

Robert Gillilan, traveling salesman for the Excelsior Shoe Company, returned from his season's trip through Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma Saturday afternoon.

Attending Meeting

Joe Knoppe, well known retired B. & O. S. W. engineer, is attending the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers' meeting at Cleveland this week. He just recently concluded an extended pleasure visit in Texas.

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. adv 11-tf

Changed Her Mind

Evelyn Noel, aged 19, who came here recently from Kentucky, applied for admission to the infirmary Saturday, but after she had been warmuted over to the county, changed her mind. It developed she was a relative of Mrs. Prudy Stone, who the day before had been given a charity pass to Cincinnati.

Attending Conference

The Rev. Albert Marting, pastor of the Fourth Street M. E. church, left Monday for Batesville, Ind., where he will attend a meeting of the M. E. conference. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mary, who will visit relatives in Batesville. Mrs. Marting formerly resided in Batesville.

Portsmouth Man Presiding

James T. Lyon, of Detroit, formerly of Portsmouth, is presiding over the tenth annual convention of the Natural Gas Association of America in Cincinnati this week. There are more than 800 representatives of the organization attending the meeting.

"Shady Nook" Open

The Shady Nook camp at Franklin Furnace has opened for the season with the same old faithful custodian, "Dad" Kimbley in charge.

Gibson Is Fined

Oscar Gibson, a former restaurant keeper, was fined $10 and costs in police court Saturday evening on a charge preferred by Miss Mollie Osborn, a Bluefield W. Va., girl.

She alleged that Gibson had at divers times sought to let rooms for immoral purposes. The primary object of the man's arrest was to recover the girl's clothes from off Gibson's family hook. These were secured for her. The court's leniency, it was explained, was due to his assurance that he would leave town early this week.

Business Visitor

W. T. Tripp, a well known South Webster citizen, was a business visitor here Monday.

SAFETY GRAMS

SAVINGS MESSAGE No. 1

Safety Seeker, Portsmouth, O.

Your money in the hands of the Royal Savings and Loan Company, 819 Gallia street, will be absolutely safe because they loan on First Mortgage on Real Estate only. There is nothing on earth quite so safe as the earth itself. If you want safety for your money, open your account there. Only one dollar necessary.

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Featuring Ethel Clayton—2 parts

LYRIC FRIDAY
"Between The Two of Them"
Broadway Star Feature—3 parts
All-Star Vitagraph Cast.

LYRIC SATURDAY
"FRAUDS"
5-part Romantic Drama with
Edna Mayo and
Bryant Washburn

WANT SENTIMENT ON TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL

Some expression from the people of Scioto county as to whether they approve or disapprove of the district tuberculosis hospital idea would be welcomed by the board of county commissioners, who are carefully considering the advisability of going ahead with the project.

Money for Scioto county's share would be raised by an extra levy of about one-tenth mill, full authority to levy which is given to the county commissioners.

While the three members of the board are heartily in favor of the idea, they do not want to go ahead with it if the majority of the taxpayers in the county are opposed to it. And those opposed to it are urged to express the objections to it before the matter is decided, after which it will be too late to do any good.

The plan is to join with five or six other counties in the erection of a building to cost in the neighborhood of $25,000. Scioto county's share will be from $4000 to $6000, depending on the number of counties that are interested. All tubercular patients from the several counties will be sent there for treatment that is especially suitable for that disease. The hospital will be located at some central point in the district, the location to be decided by the state board of health. The plan has the approval of the state board and several local civic organizations, and is regarded as a good one.

LODGES HEAR SPLENDID SERMON ON PYTHIANISM

Two hundred and fifty members of Mussie and Magnolia Lodges, Knights of Pythias, met Sunday morning and marched in a body to the German Evangelical church, where they heard a splendid sermon on "Pythianism" delivered by the Samuel Lindenmeyer.

The true principles of Pythianism were expounded in a forcible manner by Rev. Lindenmeyer, and his sermon was greatly enjoyed by an audience that taxed the capacity of the church.

The Pythian Quartet sang "The Church in the Wildwood," and Miss Irma Lindenmeyer sang a very pretty solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," and the choir sang an anthem, "Bless the Lord." It is a custom of long-standing in local K. of P. circles for the members of the two lodges to attend religious service in a body once each year. The annual memorial services will be held in June.

SELFISH AMBITION

In the study of the lesson Sunday morning at the E. M. B. C. quarters, the main feature which stood out most prominent was the ambition of Saul to preserve his throne for his son Jonathan. After God had decreed that David should be king of Israel, and this caused all the trouble between Saul and David, and even caused the king to foster murder, to defeat God's plan. But David who trusted his Lord, did not take advantage of Saul and spared his life, even though he could have taken it. This shows us different characters of these two men, and also teaches us that if we live in harmony with the will of God that nothing can harm us. But we also must do all in our power to take care of ourselves as David did, and not only trust in God but follow His teachings. Then His blessings will rest upon us and we will be a blessing to others. This is what Christ gave his commandment for, to love our neighbors as ourselves and God above all. And if we heed his command, selfish ambitions will be far from us, and this would be beautiful life. Wars would be a thing of the past. Peace and good will to all men would then really exist. So let us do our part to bring it about. Attendance was not quite up to standard. So come next Sunday and take part in the studies at the E. M. B. C. quarters.

J. R.

Must Clear Sidewalk

The city has given J. I. Marsh ten days' notice to entirely clear the space where a sidewalk should be on his property at Fourth and Glover streets. Failure to comply with the notice will mean that the city will take legal steps to enforce the city ordinance with reference to obstructing sidewalks.

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. adv 11-tf

To Inspect Local Plant

W. L. Watson, resident engineer of the new water works plant, has arrived home from Cincinnati, where he attended a convention last week. He was accompanied here by A. J. Yeager, of Buffalo, who will inspect the local plant.

Will Opportunity Find You Fit?

That's the idea—fit physically—fit mentally. And it's largely a matter of right living—which includes the right kind of food.

Grape-Nuts

is not only good tasting, but contains all the nutriment of wheat and barley, including the mineral elements so vital for building sturdy bodies, brains and nerves.

Grape-Nuts is scientifically prepared for easy digestion and assimilation. A delicious, nourishing, economical food for making one "fit" and ready for opportunity.

"There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

—sold by Grocers everywhere.

YOU CAN'T RUB IT OUT

The pain of rheumatism is something that you cannot rub out. Every sufferer from rheumatism has been advised to rub this or that on the affected part but after all the rubbing the pain remained.

Thin blood and rheumatism come together and if they are properly treated they will go together. One prominent medical writer says that "there is no acute febrile disease in which an anemia occurs with greater rapidity." Anemia means thin blood and thin blood is something that can be corrected so why not build up the blood until the rheumatic poisons are driven out?

This is exactly what is done in the treatment of rheumatism with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Acute, muscular and articular rheumatism all show improvement as the thin blood is built up and when the poisons in the blood are burned up and driven out the rheumatism does not return as long as the blood is kept rich and red.

Care in the diet is important during the treatment and every rheumatic sufferer should have two booklets published by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., called "Building Up the Blood" and "What to Eat and How to Eat." They are free on request. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

WANTS DAVIS RELEASED

James P. Hurley, of McDermott, appeared before the county commissioners this morning to make a request for the release of Henry Davis, of McDermott, from the county jail. Mr. Hurley offered to go surety for the payment of Davis' fine and his release will probably be ordered.

Davis was arrested last Christmas day for disturbing a religious meeting and was lodged in jail in default in payment of his fine. Some weeks later he was released on condition that he pay so much each week on the fine, but after being out only five days was arrested again for disorderly conduct and re-committed to the county jail.

It will pay you to get Foster & Hills to paint your house with white lead and linseed oil, and get the best work and material. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, residence 1834 Summit St. C. W. Hills, residence 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 2tf

ENJOYS FISHING

Attorney George Sheppard, who recently left for the west on a business trip, is now in Davenport, Iowa. He has enjoyed several fishing trips to the Suburban islands near Davenport.

WHOOPING COUGH

Well—everyone knows the effect of Pine Forests on Coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a remedy, which brings quick relief for Whooping Cough, loosens the mucous, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all Coughs and Colds. 25c at your Druggist.

Electric Bitters a Spring Tonic

Cost Signs With Austin

Wilbur Cost, who was released by the local team last Saturday, Monday accepted the terms of the Austin, Minn. team and will leave for that city Tuesday.

BUILDING PERMITS

Philip Bolsi, $500 improvements at No. 1503 Findlay street, Contractor Royse.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river was 8.1 ft. and falling here Monday morning. Tuesday's packet departures: Steamer Courier down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m. Steamer Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m. Steamer Greyhound up for Huntington at 3 p. m. Steamer Greendale for Pomeroy at 6 p. m.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Roy Clifton West, 24, a salesman, of Pittsburg, W. Va., and Miss Christina Katherine Ach, 25, of South Webster, were married today by Rev. George Brandau, of Harrisonville.

NEW BOSTON

The newly organized Favorites of the city suffered their first defeat Sunday afternoon at the hands of the Cubs by a score of 8 to 6. The game was close and very few hits were made. Pete Hall has been made business manager of the Cubs and will book all games. Anyone wishing games call 539 B. Next Sunday morning a return game will be played with the Favorites at Straus park and Sunday afternoon the Cubs will battle the Muldoons on the Peebles diamond. The Cubs present the following lineup: Dailey c, Payton e, Smith rf., Conley ss., Semones 3b., Chin cf., Lucas p, Semones, 1b., Simon rf., Williams 2b.

J. S. Davis will turn over his theatre to the players of the Cub nine Friday evening. The proceeds will be used to purchase uniforms. There will be a special program Friday night when the talking pictures will be run for the first time.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. met defeat on the Millbrook diamond Sunday morning by the score of 6 to 0, the village Jr. O. U. A. M. nine being the winners. Loney Chill twirled for the locals and for five innings the city nine never secured a hit. At the beginning of the sixth inning the city team ran up the white flag and retreated from the diamond.

A street car "cheated" Park Policeman George Dever out of an arrest Sunday evening. A couple he surprised near the ball park took to their heels on his approach. The couple ran to the waiting station where a street car was leaving. When Dever reached the waiting station his "birds had flown."

Clarence Patterson, Denver and Harry Smith spent Sunday in Ironton.

Aaron Mace is reported ill.

Contractors Kaps Bros. are making splendid headway with the three room and auditorium addition to the Stanton avenue building.

Jake Deemer, Gallia pike blacksmith spent Sunday fishing at Dixon's Mills but returned home with an empty fish basket.

Cloyd Dailey is ill at his home Mrs. Rudolph Kountz is ill.

Marshal Will I. Davis left Monday for Tygart Creek where he will spend the week fishing. Night Deputy Ike Wells will fill Davis' place as marshal. Mace Allen will be put on as extra deputy in Wells' place.

Council will meet at 7:30 Monday evening. Several important matters are to be discussed. Engineer Harper's plans for sanitary and storm sewers will be approved.

Mrs. William Hibbard is confined to her home with illness.

Mayor J. S. Davis enacted the role of arresting officer Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Edward Moore and a foreigner were standing in front of the mayor's office talking when Davis arrested the pair and locked them up. The officers have received numerous complaints about the conduct of the Moore woman recently and they have been shadowing her for some time. Her husband requested that she be taken into custody on several occasions. The foreigner was locked up charged with the violation of a village ordinance. A disorderly charge was put against Mrs. Moore. The foreigner was later released on a $90 bond.

Walter Stockham was arraigned before Mayor J. S. Davis on Monday morning to answer to a charge of assault and battery, preferred against him by F. W. Cornwell, the charge growing out of an alleged fight the two had two weeks ago. Attorney Will Meyer represented Stockham and Attorney Nate B. Gilliland, Cornwell. Stockham waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury. He was released on a $100 bond.

Adam D. Fitch and Henry Ruel Jr., are busy measuring every lot in the village as the houses are to be re-numbered. There will be a number for every twenty feet. The East and West plan will be abandoned and the new numbers will start at West avenue, the first number probably being 4000, a continuation of Portsmouth numbers. Engineer Harper is busy making plats, necessary in getting the renumbering exact. The re-numbering is made necessary on account of the tapping of the water mains. With the old numbers, the city would have a hard time collecting and making a record of water rentals. The residents will not be told their new numbers until Fitch and Ruel have completed their work and Engineer Harper completes the plats.

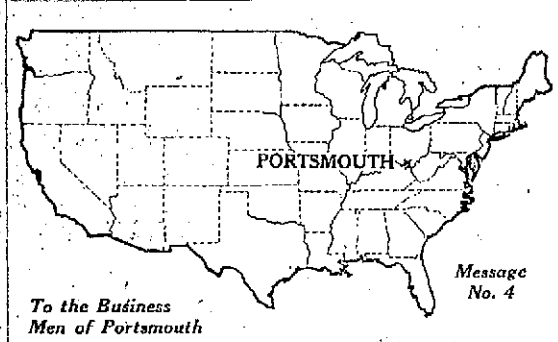
The city water works crew started work making taps to their 24-inch main to supply the residents on the north side of Gallia pike. The village is paying $516 for the making of the taps, there being 42 taps for which the city charges $8 each. No agreement has been reached on the charge of making taps to other parts of the water mains in the village, the city asks a charge of $2 for each tap but it is the intention of the village to give the taps free of charge. Council expects to reach an agreement with the city in a short time.

The health board will meet in monthly session Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the town hall.

DELEGATES NAMED

The National Security league which has as its chief aim the securing from congress the corrective legislation necessary for procuring adequate military protection against a foreign attack or aggression, is seeking to establish a branch here.

The mayor has been asked to furnish a list of ten prominent citizens, divided among the different political parties, who would be likely to give favorable consideration to an invitation to form a committee and undertake the organizing of a branch. The following were named: Messrs. John Bauer, Charles Daehler, Frank B. Kehoe, Simon Labold, George E. Kricker, Henry W. Hear, Filmore Musser, Vallee Harold, Harry E. Taylor and William B. Anderson.



Message No. 4

To the Business Men of Portsmouth

A young doctor, making a start in a small town, decided that to be prosperous he must look prosperous. He bought a new buggy and two good horses. Although he had only a few patients he always kept on the jump, attending to his patients' smallest needs. People began to notice this young doctor driving about town and they called him because he looked busy and prosperous. He got his start—a start that led to a comfortable practice.

Our town, like this doctor, must look prosperous to be prosperous.

Clean streets, attractive store windows, well-painted buildings and dwellings give the prosperous air. Well-painted buildings are greatest of these.

Anchor White Lead
(Dutch Boy Painter Trade Mark)

and pure linseed oil make a most durable and protective paint that keeps buildings well painted. These materials can be mixed to suit conditions and tinted any color desired. We sell these good-paint ingredients as well as other paint necessaries. Better get in touch with us in the interests of prosperity.

The Hibbs Hardware Co.

TUESDAY SPECIALS

2½ bu. bag Potatoes	$1.45
50 lb. can pure Hog Lard	$5.25
1 sack Tip Top Flour	98c
1 sack Blue Ribbon Flour	$1.05
1 bushel Corn Meal	98c
1 lb. Smoked Bacon by the side	15c
2 cans Sweet Brier Corn	25c
2 cans Prize Peas, extra fine	25c
1 lb. Pickeled Pork	10c
1 lb. Sugar Cured Ham	12½c
5 bunches Rhubarb	10c
5 bunches Green Onions	10c

WM. CANTER
Phone 1716 A Phone 1716 A

Faints At Church

Edward Knost, a member of the Pythias Quartet, suffered a fainting spell while in the midst of a song at the German Evangelical church Sunday morning. He was soon revived and was taken to his home on Offnere street.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The Bible school attendance dropped below the 6,000 mark Sunday when there were only a total of 5809 present. One week ago 6,521 were in attendance, there being a drop of 512 Sunday. Trinity again in the lead, neared the 1,000 mark with 950 present. Christian keeps up her good work, having 903 present. Several of the smaller schools suffered a slight decrease. Sunday's record:

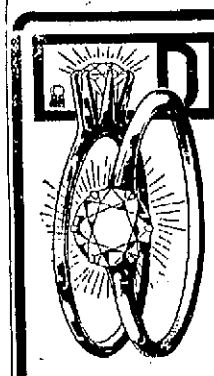
Trinity	950
Christian	903
Manly	591
Second Presbyterian	566
Bigelow	410
First Presbyterian	370
German Evangelical	326
New Boston Baptist	290
First Baptist	287
Grandview Ave. Christian	282
United Brethren	254
Hutchins Street Baptist	231
Kendall Ave. Baptist	188
Fourth Street M. E.	171
New Boston Christian	111
Total	5809

PANAMAS

Cleaned, Blocked and Renovated
Call 1710 or bring Hats to 906 Sixth street near Gay.

WM. ABRAHAMS
The Little German Tailor





DIAMONDS

For Investments

I am offering some special good values in diamonds in all sizes.

Ask to see our specials for the graduates.

W. L. WILHELM
Jeweler and Optometrist

Children's Straw and Silk Hats at just one-half regular prices. **THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.** Knit Underwear at marvelous little prices.

Bragdon's Is Always Busy

Buying for cash, selling for cash, and selling at a small advance bring quick results.

Here are bargains in Ready-to-Wear Wash Garments that cannot be duplicated, values like these never before known in the month of May.

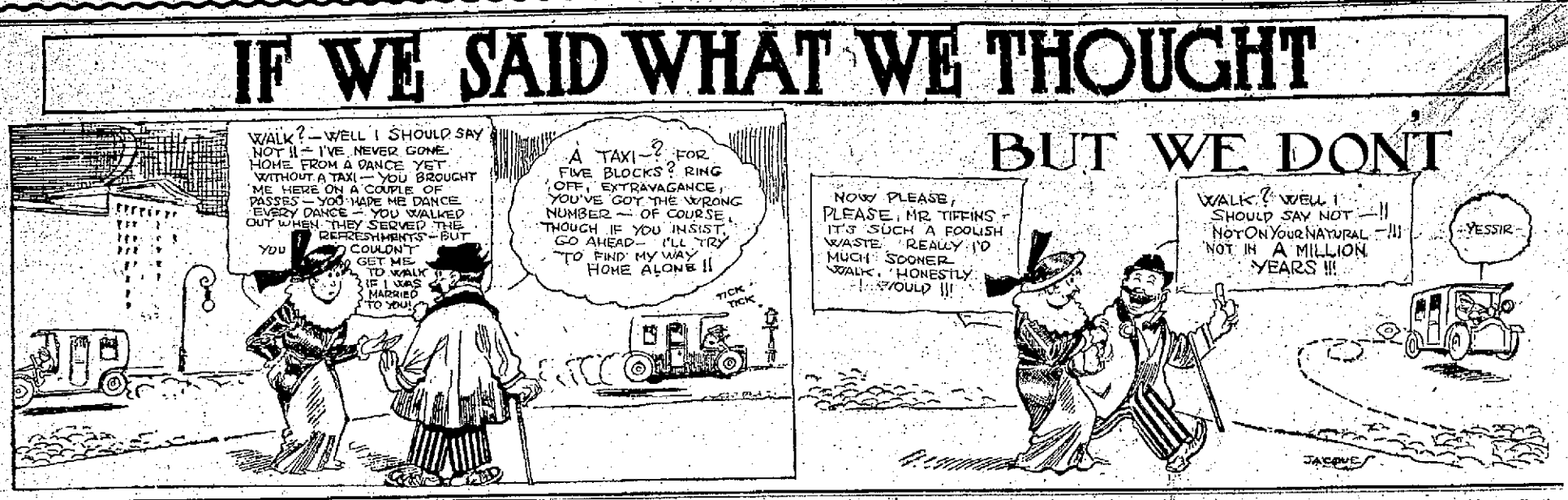
Quantities limited, so come early before they are all snapped up.

100 Women's fine Crepe Waists in black only, all sizes	29c
Women's fine Wash Waists, woven stripes, $1.00 value	59c
Women's fine Wash Waists in embroidered and lace trimmed $1 values	50c
Women's White Embroidered Wash Waists, $1.00 values	25c
Hundreds of Misses' Wash Dresses, ages 13 to 19 yrs. $1 values. Choice	50c
Children's Dresses, ages 6 to 14 yrs. $1.00 values	50c
Children's Gingham Dresses, 50c values	25c
Lot of Children's and Misses' White Dresses at amazing little prices.	
Little Folks' Gingham Rompers at	25c
Boys' Oliver Twist Suits at interesting prices	
Women's House and Street Dresses in an endless variety of styles and in all sizes. $1.00 to $1.50 values. Choice	50c
Women's Gingham and Percale House Dresses variety of patterns, sizes up to 46. $1.00 values	69c
Women's extra large Percale Dresses sizes 44 to 52. $1.00 values	69c
Women's fine Wash Gingham Dresses at	98c
Women's fine Pique Skirts, $1.00 values	59c
Women's Black Satine Petticoats, 50c values	25c
Women's extra large Muslin Gowns at	48c
Women's Slip Over Muslin Gowns at	25c
Women's fine Gowns, embroidered yokes, $1.00 values	69c
Women's fine Princess Slips and Combination Suits, $1.00 values	48c

Scores of grand bargains in Sheer Wash Yard Goods, Underwear, Hosiery and Fancy Neckwear.

The Bragdon Dry Goods Company
"THE STORE ACCOMMODATING"
MASONIC TEMPLE FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE STS.

Star Program at Columbia Tonight Beverly Bayne in "The Conspiracy" Lillian Walker in "The Gutter Snipe"



Garbage Zone To Get Fire Protection; Control Board Meets

The board of control Monday authorized the service director to lay a pipe line and fire hydrant along the Scioto valley garbage fire zone.

The board again decided to ask an expression from the city council on the proposed flood wall extension and if council decides against going ahead with the improvement that the city engineer prepare estimates for the proposed reconstruction of the Union street flood valve. It was decided also to repair the fence on the Seventeenth street side of Greenlawn cemetery.

The service director was authorized to repair South Kendall avenue from the railroad tracks to Eighth street to provide a better approach to the golf grounds.

It was reported that the reconstruction of the canon in the soldier circles of Tracy park and Greenlawn cemetery would be completed before Decoration Day.

Suit Being Heard In Common Pleas

The case of C. A. Crabtree against Joseph Herzstam, a suit to recover $62.50, amount alleged due him as commission on the sale of an automobile for the defendant, was tried before a jury in common pleas court this morning, Judge Thomas presiding. The case will go to the jury later this afternoon.

Mr. Herzstam was awarded the verdict when the case was heard in common pleas court a few weeks ago, but Judge Thomas granted the motion for a new trial filed by the plaintiff's attorney. N. B. Gilliland. Miller and Searl are the defendant's attorneys.

Wants To Keep Badge

Henry Baker was circulating petitions Monday for renomination for constable on the Republican ticket.

Successful Operation

Charles Brooks, N. & W. machinist, Highland avenue, was successfully operated upon for appendicitis at the Hempstead hospital Monday morning. Drs. O. W. Rohe, W. W. Smith and A. L. Test were the operating physicians. (Huntington papers copy).

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

Conley Is Rearrested

William Conley, New Boston, was re-arrested this morning on a paternity charge preferred by Mary F. Greathouse, of near Fullerton. He was bound over to the grand jury by Squire Byron in the sum of $500 bond which he furnished.

Mr. Carson To Speak

Superintendent S. D. Eckhart of the New Boston schools, announced Monday that he had secured O. T. Carson of Columbus, to deliver the commencement address at the graduation exercises to be held in the Casino Tuesday evening, June 1.

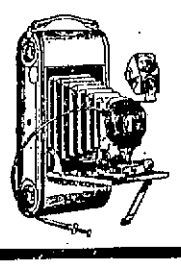
Three Things to Remember.

It is a maxim universally agreed upon in agriculture, that nothing must be done too late; and again, that everything must be done at its proper season; while there is a third precept which reminds us that opportunities lost can never be regained.—Pliny the Elder.

BIRTHS

A son was born Saturday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edmunds of Front street. The family recently moved here from Ashland, Ky.

The Food-Drink for All Ages
Horlicks Malted Milk
Nourishing Delicious Digestible
All Hotels and Cafes
Unless you say "HORLICK'S" you may get a Substitute



Taking pictures is bully good sport that lasts all the year round. Come in, we make no charge for showing you how.
The Peerless Photo Supply Co.
Phone 1530 B. Gallia and Sinton

COUNTERFEIT MONEY HERE?

Believing that counterfeit five dollar bills have been circulated in Portsmouth, M. P. Bolan, a United States officer, dropped into the city Monday to inspect bills of this denomination in circulation here. It was stated that "phony" five dollar bills have been turned loose in great numbers in Cincinnati and adjoining cities the past few weeks.

The counterfeit bill is of the 1900 series, contains check "L" on it and is signed by J. C. Napier.

To be on the safe side local people should measure all "sweet Williams," as the bogus ones said to be in circulation are a quarter of an inch longer than the five dollar bills issued by Uncle Sam.

Inspectors Here

For the purpose of continuing their inspection work carried on in the city two weeks ago, T. L. Bell and T. S. Hamilton arrived here Monday and will remain until the inspection work is completed.

They started out Monday to inspect all buildings between Gay and Chillicothe streets and south of Ninth street.

Wife's Hand Shake Is Cause Of Fight

The flood wall in front of the Hotel Portsmouth was the scene of a lively fight Saturday evening. A man named Moore attacked another named Anderson because the latter it is claimed dared shake hands with his wife. Anderson was knocked into the middle of the street. No arrests.

CHARGES DESERTION

Desertion is charged by Grace L. Rogers in her divorce petition against her husband, Roy Rogers, filed in common pleas court this afternoon by her attorneys, Blair and Kimble. She charges abandonment. They were married in Columbus March 27, 1911, and have no children.

Mrs. Rogers seks divorce and restoration to her maiden name of Grace L. Scott.

Men Are Injured

R. J. Beacom and Lou Berkley, structural iron men employed with the Mount Vernon Bridge Company, got caught by a "T" rail at the new county bridge Monday afternoon. One had a finger mashed and the other had several fingers badly bruised. Dr. Rardin was called to attend them.

Saw Cobblers Win.

Alfred Fewkes of Sciotoville, witnessed the Portsmouth-Ironton game Sunday.

The livest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

Enjoyed Game

Ralph Bowser, Oscar Mitchell, Harry Chilkey and Howard Davis saw Portsmouth defeat Ironton Sunday.

Perry Penn, a plain drunk, was arrested at the N. & W. depot by Officer Callahan Smith Monday afternoon.

Miss Jean McCaffry, a graduate nurse of Columbus, is spending a few days at her home in this city.

WANT FLOOD WALL PUSHED

Property owners of Mill and Front streets circulated petitions Monday calling upon city council to get busy on the proposed extension of the flood wall, from its present terminus at Front and Chillicothe streets to Union street.

BOARDING —BY— Week, Day or Meal
FOR RENT FURNISHED ROOMS
FOR RENT SEE .....
BOARDING
FOR RENT INQUIRE WITHIN
FOR SALE SEE .....
FOR SALE INQUIRE WITHIN

Nice window cards 11x14 inches worded as shown may be secured at The Times Office for 15c each or two for 25c.

For sale: copies of the law describing the penalty for defrauding a hotel or boarding house. The law requires that 10 be posted in each boarding house for the owner's protection. Price, per set of ten, 25 cents at

THE TIMES OFFICE
FRONT AND CHILLICOTHE STS.

Shelton Auto And A Horse Collide

L. A. Shelton and brother, C. C. Shelton, while near Rome, Adams county, Sunday, figured in an accident which luckily was not of a serious nature.

Their automobile and a horse collided. One of the fenders on the car was damaged and the horse was bruised. L. A. Shelton asserts that he was driving the car 15 miles an hour when, without warning, the horse lunged in front of his machine. The horse was standing along the roadside when the accident took place.

Enjoyed Fishing.

Orson H. Ogier, traveling salesman for the Wait Furniture Co. spent Saturday fishing on the Scioto river.

Otway Visitors.

Walter Cooper, of Otway, was a business visitor here, Saturday.

Davy Jones Saw Game.

"Davy" Jones, who has always been one of the Cobblers' hardest rooters went to Ironton Sunday and saw Portsmouth defeat Ironton.

DO IT NOW

The B. & O. S.-W. has quite a force of men at work laying new tracks and building trestles at Mud Pit for use in unloading the vast amount of material for the construction of the C. & O. Northern railroad.

Saw The Game

Winston and Pearl Ford spent Sunday in Ironton and witnessed the 10 to 1 defeat handed to Ironton.

In Ironton

Frank Schmitt and Theodore Ribble spent Sunday in Ironton.

Investigating Robbery

A. R. Pitman, chief agent of the Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency, is here from Bluefield, W. Va., investigating the N. & W. freight depot safe blowing job at Ironton.

With Mr. Stahler

Franklin Upp, a former Times carrier, has taken a position as bookkeeper for Edward Stahler, commission merchant on Front street.

Enjoyed Motor Trip

Franklin Upp and Edward Franck motored to Ironton last week.

Complaints

Complaints about a sunken place in the intersection of Lawson street and Robinson avenue and about a loose sewer top at Tenth and Offnere streets have been referred to the service department.

Friends of Miss Margaret Maze, of Roanoke, Va., will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from a severe illness. Miss Maze has been confined to her bed for about three weeks. It is hoped by her friends and relatives that she will have a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walters and family motored to McDermott Sunday and spent a few hours at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Waller. Paul Waller who attends the local high school accompanied them home.

OBITUARY

Miss Callie Smith

Miss Callie Smith died at her home in Sciotoville at 6 o'clock Monday morning after a long illness with dropsy. She was 66 years of age and lived by herself. She was born on Pine Creek and was a daughter of Eli Smith and Emmaretta Noble. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Leo Nourse, of Sciotoville, and one brother, Alex Smith of Twin Mills, near Wheelersburg. Burial will be made at Wheelersburg, Wednesday.

Mrs. Georgia Scott

Mrs. Georgia Scott, aged 21, wife of Simon Scott, an employee of the River City Lumber Company, died at their home, 101 John street, Saturday night following a two weeks' illness with typhoid fever. Besides the husband, she leaves a three-year-old daughter. The remains were taken to Vanceburg, Ky., Monday afternoon for burial.

Mrs. Alice C. Wallace

Mrs. Alice Campbell Wallace, wife of Charles Wallace, a tool-dresser, employed in the N. & W. shops, passed away Sunday morning at the family residence, 623 Eighth street. She had been ill since the first of the year with complications.

Mrs. Wallace was 53 years old and was a most estimable woman. She had been a member of the First Baptist church since 1893 and was an active member of the Daughters of America.

Funeral services at the First Baptist church Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, with Rev. T. H. McAfee in charge. Interment in Greenlawn.

Anna Robbins

The funeral of Addie Robbins, 54, who was found dead in bed at the home of her mother at Robbins Station, Pike county, last Friday morning, was held Sunday morning at Beaver Chapel. Death was due to heart trouble.

Fred Lesser

The following clipping from a Jackson paper relative to the will be read with regret in this Mrs. Mary A. Doerr, of this city, will be read with regret in this city, where the deceased was well known:

"A clipping has been sent as relative to the death of Fred Lesser which occurred April 19 at Beach North Dakota. He is survived by one brother Gabriel, four sisters, Mrs: Henry Spohn and Teresea Russ in this county, Mrs. Mary A. Doerr of Portsmouth and mother in Illinois. He was 53 years of age. The clipping follows:

"Fred Lesser who had been working for Chase Thompson expressed himself as not feeling well and decided to quit work and come to town Monday. The Thompson family watched Mr. Lesser as he left the farm and saw that he was quite bad and not able to make the trip by himself as he sat down to rest when not a long way from home. Mr. Thompson decided to help him on his way and started out in the auto and came up with the unfortunate man a short way on the road and got him to ride to town in the car.

"When but a mile out from Beach Mr. Lesser breathed his last.

"At the coroner's inquest heart failure was pronounced the cause of his demise. Relatives in Ohio were notified. The deceased owned property in Beach. Also something over $300 was found on his person."

Mrs. Mary Pennington

The 1913 flood was the indirect cause of the untimely death of Mrs. Mary Pennington, aged 30 years, wife of Henry Pennington, a former N. & W. engineer, whose remains arrived in the city from Comfort, Texas, Sunday night for burial here.

Mrs. Pennington died at Comfort on May 12th of tuberculosis which she developed after contracting a cold from their dampened home after the flood in East Portsmouth. Mr. Pennington gave up his position and left with his wife and her mother, Mrs. Jos. Morgan for Fayette, Iowa, where the latter took up her residence a year ago. There she spent last summer, going for the winter to Texas. She and husband were just preparing to return to Iowa for the summer when she took a turn for the worse and soon succumbed to her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennington were married four years ago. An only son by a former marriage, Harold, makes his home with his grandmother in Iowa. They arrived here Monday noon, accompanied by Mrs. Pennington's only surviving brother, Jos. Morgan and family of Detroit, Mich.

The remains were removed by Undertaker Dachler to the home of Mrs. Pennington's aunt, Mrs. William Tipton of No. 626 Tenth street. The funeral will take place probably Tuesday.

Mrs. Pennington was a member of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, having affiliated with the church during the Billy Sunday meeting here a few years ago.

James Keibler

Mr. James Keibler, of Hampshire, Ky., departed this life May 10th, 1915.

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Mr. Keibler was 52 years of age. He leaves five children to mourn his loss: Jessie, Asberry, John, Abe and Lizzie. Besides his children he leaves six brothers and one sister, all of Hampshire, Ky.

Mr. Keibler was a kind and loving father and was loved by all who knew him. We will sadly miss his smiling face.

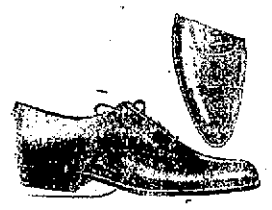
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WANTED—At once experienced girl for general housework. 1215 4th St. Phone 385. 17-2

WANTED:—To buy a steer, weight 1200. Call 1015 3rd St. Phone 1503 Y. Oscar Boyer. 17-3

WANTED:—To trade two lots for five passenger auto. Phone 1091 A. 17tf

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NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams Phone 1025 A. 14tf

NOTICE:—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning. Al Reiniger, 1815 6th. Phone 1267 Y. 16tf

WANTED:—Girl for general housework at 1031 Gallia. 15-3

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FOR SALE:—Hoosier potatoes for late planting. Roscoe Swabby, Long Run. Phone 3100 Y. 17-3

FOR SALE:—French poodle pups, Wallace second hand store, 6th and Gay. 14-3

FOR SALE:—3 acre farm, 3 room house, all fenced, good water, $200. 1035 15th. 14-3

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FOR SALE:—One 8 ft. extension table, a porch settee and chairs at 1623 Grant St. Phone 1204 X 15-3

FOR SALE:—Horse and buggy, 1729 Offnere St. 15tf

FOR SALE:—A lot of pigs. Inquire Frank J. Sommer, Phone 2202 Y. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Paper baler in good condition. Phone 822. 15-3

FOR SALE:—One Estate gas range with water coil, can be seen at 1810 Grant St. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Or trade. 17 acre farm. 6 room house, Chillicothe pike, two miles from city limits, beautiful home, ideal for truck, fruit or poultry farm. Will exchange for city property. What have you for trade? Phone 506 LEW LOWRY. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Three touring cars second hand. One Ford roadster W. J. Friel, 734 5th. 15-3

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FOR SALE:—Mammoth Purple tomato plants. 831 3rd. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Horse and phaeton, 814 Prospect. Phone 427 B. 14-3

FOR SALE—7 h. p. Indian motorcycle, 629 Front. 15-6

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80 acre farm four miles from Harrisonville, 20 acres planted in corn, 7 acres in oats, 1 acre potatoes, orchard; all go for $2000 cash.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for light housekeeping, gas included, 930 Gallia. 11tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with use of bath. Phone 1286 A or 1217 Franklin. 14tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1118 Gallia. 14tf

FOR RENT:—7-room upstairs flat, suitable for one or two families. Hot and cold water and bath. Inquire at 823 Gallia St. 14-3

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FOR RENT:—Store room, 822 Gallia. Inquire Lehman's Store. 23tf

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FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1115 Gay St. Phone 78 A. 13tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room, bath, modern conveniences. 614 Washington. 10tf

FOR RENT:—3 room flat on Gallia, 3 room cottage on 13th. Phone 575, James A. Maxwell. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 914 8th. 1tf

FOR RENT:—Nice front room, furnished; bath and phone 1120 4th. Phone 50. 13tf

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms. All conveniences. 1117 Gallia. 12tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished rooms, 709 Chillicothe St. 17tf

FOR RENT:—6 room house, bath. 1521 6th. Phone 823 Y. 1552 6th. 17-3

FOR RENT—3 room flat. 2227 8th St. Phone Y 1188 or call at 1412 4th. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms, 1439 8th. 17-6

FOR RENT—One furnished room with bath. Call 1113 4th St. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Three room rear house, gas and water. 522 5th. Phone 738 Y. 17tf

FOR RENT:—7 room house with bath, 501 Glover. Phone 463 A 17tf

FOR RENT:—4 room house in rear, 1311 McConnell avenue. 17-3

The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, May 17.—Initial gains were followed by slight recessions resulting mainly from selling for profits. This condition in turn gave way to yet a higher level for some of the leaders, notably steel. Specialties, however, failed to retain more than a fair share of their advance, Bethlehem Steel for instance yielding 3 points. Trading slackened before the end of the first hour, becoming almost stagnant by mid-day. Commission houses, recently prominent in the rising market, took little part in today's operations which were almost wholly under professional control. Bonds were strong.

Saturday's price recovery was based on a broad and general at the outset of to-day's trad standard shares gaining 1 points while war specialties 3 to 7, Bethlehem Steel the greatest advance. Tr reflected confidence in a satisfactory adjustment of impending international complications London's market for our showing firmness. Dealings were fairly large but without spectacular features. United States Steel was the only stock to unusual activity at the ing, a block of 4600 shares offered at 52½ to 53, last last week's close of 51⅝.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper, 66¾.
American Beet Sugar, 43½.
American Can, 33½.
American Car & Foundry, 50¼
American Cotton Oil, 46⅛.
American Smelting and Refining, 65¼.
American Sugar Refining, 105¾
American Telephone and Telegraph, 118½.
Anaconda Mining Co., 32.
Atchison, 99¾.
Baltimore & Ohio, 72¼.
Bethlehem Steel, 113¾.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 87⅛.
California Petroleum, 15½.
Canadian Pacific, 158⅛.
Central Leather, 35⅛.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 43⅜.
China Copper, 43⅛.
Chicago & North Western 124½
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul, 90.
Denver & Rio Grande, 9.
Erie, 25⅜.
General Electric, 151.
Goodrich Co., 42¼.
Great Northern, pfd., 117.
Illinois Central, 106.
Interborough-Met., 20⅛.
Inter. Harvester, 92.
Lehigh Valley, 140.
Louisville & Nashville, 115.
Maxwell Motor Co., 1st pfd., 81.
Mexican Petroleum, 69½.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 12½.
Missouri Pacific, 13½.
National Lead, 38½.
New York Central, 84¾.
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford, 62⅛.
Norfolk & Western, 101½.
Northern Pacific, 104½.
Pennsylvania, 107.
Ray Consolidated, 22¾.
Reading, 143⅝.
Republic Iron & Steel, 27.
Southern Pacific, 87¾.
Southern Railway, 16⅝.
Studebaker Co., 65¾.
Texas Co., 123.
Tennessee Copper, 33.
Union Pacific, 125.
United States Rubber, 61.
United States Steel, 53¼.
United States Steel, pfd., 106.
Utah Copper, 64¼.
Western Union, 65.
Westinghouse Electric, 88⅞.
C. R. I. & Pac., 23¼.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, May 17.—Serious crop damage reports from Missouri had a bullish effect today on the wheat market here. Assertions were received that the Hessian fly was in every field in the western part of the state, and hint a heavy reduction of yield could apparently not be escaped.

Widespread frost over the spring crop belt tended further to strengthen the market. After opening ½ cent off to a like advance, prices scored a material gain all round.

Corn ascended with wheat. At first however, the market was heavy owing to favorable crop reports and because of easy cables. Opening prices which were ⅛ to ¾ lower were followed by a rally to well above Saturday night's level.

Oats merely reflected the action of other grain. Trade was of a scattering character.

Steadiness ruled in provisions. The bulge in cereals seemed to offset lower prices for hogs.

Talk that the crop damage in Missouri, Kansas, Illinois and other states might result in a cut of 100,000,000 bushels from the government figures of a month ago, led afterward to a sharp additional upturn. The close was unsettled at a rule of 1¾ to 4½ cents net.

Predictions of frost counted against the bears. Quotations closed firm ⅜c to ⅝c net higher.

OPENING PRICES

Wheat: May, $1.52; July, $1.27½; Sept., $1.21½.
Corn: May, 73½c; July, 76⅜c; Sept., 77¾c.
Oats: May, 51⅝c; July, 51⅛c; Sept., 45⅝c.

CLOSING PRICES

Chicago, Ills., May 17.—Close Wheat, May, $1.56; July, $1.29¾.
Corn, May, 74⅜c; July, 77⅛c.
Oats, May, 52c; July, 51⅛c.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork, July, $18.02; September, $18.32.
Lard, July, $9.65; Sept. $9.90.
Ribs, July, $10.55; Sept. $10.80.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, O., May 17.—Wheat cash and May $1.57; July, $1.28⅝.
Corn, cash 76½c; May, 76c; July, 79⅛c.
Oats, cash 54¾c; May, 54½c; July, 53⅛c.
Rye, No. 2, $1.15.
Clover seed, prime cash $7.90; Oct. $8.27½.
Ilsike, prime cash $8.00.
Timothy, prime cash $2.87½; September, $3.17½.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 17.—Hogs—receipts 35,000 slow; Bulk $7.70@7.80; Light $7.60@7.90; mixed $7.55@7.90. Heavy $7.30@7.85; Rough $7.30@7.45; Pigs $7.75@7.35.

Cattle—receipts 17,000; steady; native beef steers 06.60@9.25; Western steers $6.00@7.85. Cows and heifers $3.30@8.75. Calves $6.60@9.25.

Sheep—receipts 10,000; weak; Sheep $7.90@8.75. Lambs $7.70@10.50.

PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, May 17.—Cattle—receipts 900; higher; Top $9.40.

Hogs—receipts 800; active; Prime heavies, $8.00@8.05; Heavy mixed, mediums and yorkers $8.10@8.15; Pigs $7.75@7.85.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 7,000 active; Top sheep $8.10; Top Lambs $10.25.

Calves—receipts 800; steady. Top $9.00.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, May 17.—Cattle—receipts 650; market 10 to 15 higher. Choice fat steers $8.25@8.50. Fair to good butcher steers $7.25@8.75. Good to choice heifers $7.00@8.00. Good to choice butcher bulls, $6.25@7.00; fair to good cows $5.50@6.75.

Calves—receipts 300; market 25 lower. Good to choice veal calves $8.50@8.75.

Sheep and lumps—receipts 1,500; market steady.

Hogs—receipts 5,000; market 5 higher; mediums yorkers and light yorkers $8.15.

Pigs $7.90; Roughs $6.40; Stags $5.50.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, May 17.—Hogs—receipts 5,100; steady; Packers and butchers $7.80@7.95; common to choice $5.75@7.30; Pigs and Lights $5.25@7.90; Stags $4.50@6.00.

Cattle—receipts 1,100; steady. Steers $5.25@8.50; Heifers $5.75@8.75; cows, $3.75@6.60. Calves steady, $4.75@8.25.

Sheep—receipts 1,000; strong; $5.00@6.75. Lambs strong $6.25@11.50.

BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., May 17.—Cattle—receipts 3,500; steady to active. Prime steers $8.50@8.80; Shipping $7.75@8.35; Butchers $6.50@8.60; Heifers $5.25@8.25; Cows $3.75@7.25; Bulls $4.50@7.35.

Veals—1,300; active $4.50@9.50

Hogs—18,500; active. Heavy $8.75@8.25; Mixed $8.25; Yorkers $8.15@8.25.

Pigs $7.90@8.00. Roughs $6.75@6.85. Stags $5.00@5.75.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 9,000; active. Sheep steady. Lambs $6.00@10.75; Yearlings $5.50@9.25; Wethers $8.00@8.50; Ewes $4.00@7.75; Sheep mixed $7.75@800.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 17—Butter: higher; creamery, 29c to 26½c.

Eggs: steady; receipts, 29,768 cases. At mark, cases included, 17c to 18½c; ordinary firsts, 16½c to 17½c; firsts, 18¼c to 18½c.

Potatoes: higher; receipts, 52 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin Red, 35c to 40c; do white, 40c to 47c. Poultry: alive, steady; fowls 16c.

SUGAR

New York, May 17—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 4.89c; molasses, 4.12c; refined firm; cut loaf, 6.90c; crushed, 6.80c; mould A, 6.45c; cubes, 6.25c; XXXX powdered, 6.15c; powdered, 6.15c; fine granulated, 6.00c; Diamond A, 6.00c; confectioner's A, 5.90c; No. 1, 5.75c.

Sugar futures were steadier early today on the better demand for granulated. Prices at noon were unchanged to five points higher.

MONEY MARKET

New York, May 17.—Call money steady; high 2; law 1¾; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1¾; offered at 2.

COTTON

New York, May 17—Cotton futures closed steady; May, 9.20c; July, 9.34c; Oct. 9.81c; Dec. 10.03c; Jan. 10.07c.

Charges Assault

An affidavit was filed in Squire Byron's court Monday morning by Marshal Albert Cook of South Webster, against Jennings Cole, of the same place, charging him with assault and battery. Cole waived the preliminary examination and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $100 bond, which he furnished.

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TERMINALS

Selby Weaver, 16, of Rarden, had his face badly lacerated Saturday when he fell or was thrown from N. & W. freight train No. 54 at Brookside near Rushtown on the West Side. Weaver told the train crew he was pushed off the train by other boys. Lawrence Boyles and John E. Burton, N. & W. brakemen, were witnesses to the accident. Conductor L. C. Payne was in charge of the train. The lad was taken to his home on a west bound train.

J. C. Clark, representing the N. & W. telegraph department, with offices in Roanoke, and C. A. Preston, traveling representative of the superintendent of transportation's office at Roanoke, was a visitor at N. & W. headquarters Saturday.

All N. & W. men have been invited to attend the illustrated lecture given by Col. J. L. Taylor, assistant to chief inspector of Bureau of Explosives at Hotel Sinton, Cincinnati, May 20. The lecture will be given under the auspices of American Association of Railroad Superintendents, Cincinnati division.

Mrs. Norman Apel of Gallia pike, spent Saturday with home folks in Sciotoville.

Edward Wamsley of Beech street and Gallia pike, is repainting his home.

Mrs. S. M. Winters, wife of N. & W. Fireman Winters, will be the guest of relatives in Kenova in a few days.

There were 74 present at the Tabernacle Bible school services Sunday afternoon. Superintendent E. F. Rideout was in charge. Rev. A. B. Johnson of Sciotoville, delivered a short sermon at the close of the Bible school exercises.

M. F. O'Keefe, N. & W. yard conductor, of Columbus, employed in the Joyce avenue yard at Columbus, had his left hand slightly mashed Sunday while adjusting the knuckle of a coupler on a car. He had charge of yard engine 749.

N. & W. Engineer J. A. Cullihan is having cement walks laid about his new residence on Gallia pike.

W. T. Carter of Poplar street, returned Monday from a delightful visit with friends and relatives in Roanoke, Va., and Bluefield, W. Va.

Wilbur Samson and son Ralph, Messrs. George and Carl Samson and Milburn Shope motored to Stockdale Sunday in Mr. George Samson's touring car. They had a delightful trip.

HARMONY LODGE HOLDS THANKSGIVING SERVICES

The Harmony Lodge No. 39, K. of P. met at the A. I. U. hall Sunday afternoon and marched to the Pleasant Green Baptist church, where they held Thanksgiving services. They were headed by the Lewis Brass Band. The Silver Leaf Court also turned out in a body. A splendid audience was in attendance at the services and Mr. Kane Fossett acted as master of ceremonies. The opening hymn by the choir was "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Miss Lulu Turner presided at the organ. Mr. Wm. Gooden read the lodge proclamation, after which Mr. Fossett introduced the Rev. W. P. Chapman, pastor of the church, who delivered an eloquent sermon. The pastor was assisted by Rev. John Irvin, of Allen Chapel A. M. E. church.

Rev. Grant Metcalf, at the close of the sermon, joined Mr. John Evans in presenting the pastor with a handsome sum of money.

WORK ON THE RIGHT-OF-WAY

Much headway is being made in cleaning the C. & O. right of way back of Sciotoville. The contractors kept a large force of men on the job Sunday. Camps have been established along the line and scenes of real activity are being witnessed along the C. & O. right of way between Sciotoville and Harrisonville.

WILL MARRY ON WARSHIP

New York, May 17.—An incident of the fleet review here placed on the program by Secretary Daniels today is to be a wedding tonight aboard the battleship New York. Miss Gertrude Cameron of this city, the bride-elect, obtained the secretary's permission to have ceremony performed on the battleship after writing him a letter in which she explained that this was her wedding day and asked that she might be permitted to show her patriotism by being married aboard the battleship named for her native state.

Mr. Daniels said the letter was so patriotic that he decided to grant the request. She is to marry Herbert H. Van Loan, a newspaper man.

Regulars Won Game

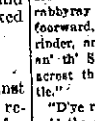
The Kentucky Regulars defeated the St. Mary's team Sunday at South Portsmouth, the score being 13 to 11. Cooper and Lawson formed the Kentucky battery and Fleming and Altemang worked for the St. Mary's team.

Suit Commences Tuesday.

The suit of Kaps Bros. against the B. & O. S.-W. railroad to recover $100 alleged to be due for damages suffered by the firm during the 1913 flood will begin in common pleas court Tuesday. Attorneys Philipps and Simmons of Chillicothe, are here to represent the railroad company.

ON THE BENCH WITH JUDGE McHUGH

BY JAMES EDMUND DUFFY



"I SEE be th' paper that th' war time Prisidint iv th' bowld an' feerless Republic iv Mixico, th' home iv th' hot tamally, which has f'r its coat iv arms a pitcher iv a nayger wrasslin' match, is goin' to spind th' summer in New York," said Judge McHugh.

"Ye don't say so," said the court attendant.

"But I do say so, avick, an' I have plinty more to say," sez the Judge. "Yis, th' clibbrated visitor is amongst us. If ye go out iv an afthernoon ye'll see him sthrollin' down Fifth avenue, an' ivery time he lights a fresh seegar 'tis f'm a stick iv dinnymite he carries in his rare pocket. No more Mixico f'r him. Not while anny wan's lookin', annyway.

"'Tis quare to see how min change so readily. On'y yisterday he was roilin' around th' nayger Republic wid a chip on his shoulder, an' here he is to-day in New York drinkin' ice cream sodees an' dancin' th' tango.

"If ye looked thru th' dure iv a dance hall ye'd see th' ol' crow twirlin' around th' flure wid wan arm around th' slim waist iv a dainty parthner, an' th' other feelin' if his artillery is where he put it whin he left th' hotel. He's a great dancer, I'm tolt. Divin hilp th' aysther dancers if some wan slops on a match! He'll think shure 'tis Pancho Villy enjoyin' a little indure tergarot practice an' will shart his artillery goin'.

"Ye niver can tell about thim min f'm th' nayger Republics. They're like April weather, an' ye know how thricky that is. I'll tell ye, Jawn, I'd not dance on th' same flure wid Hoorta. Bad class to him, I wud not. I know little iv th' ballroom stradgady that an ol' Gin'ral iv a nargur counthry is th' leader of. I'll stay here in th' back room iv Cassidy's place an' play casino. I'd rather play cards anny day than dance. That's f'r th' young an' giddy or th' ol' an' foolish, an' I'm neither.

"I was thinkin' last night whin I lay on me downy piller that it may be that th' sly ol' fox iv a Hoorta is goin' back to Mixico wid an army iv tango dancers. By gar, I wudden't be surprised if that's what he intends to do. Th' mure I think iv it th' mure I'm convinced that 'tis some such game as that he's up to. Well, mure luck to him, an' bad luck to th' dancers. 'Twud do th' city gude if half iv thim laid their listless lives on th' kitchen sthove iv a Mixican naygur's home.

"Wait until th' winther's come, an' ye'll see Hoorta an' th' dancin' army invadin' Mixico wid a sthring orchestry. They'll be th' Fox Throt brigade, an' th' Hesitation battalion, an' th' Tango regiment. Everything in th' dancin' line will be represinted but th' Irish reel an' th' Spanish tandango. Thin thried an' thru pathriots iv th' ballroom flure will be in th' trinches wid th' enemy, an' Hivin hilp th' fancy dancers whin th' Irish reel charges acrost th' field.

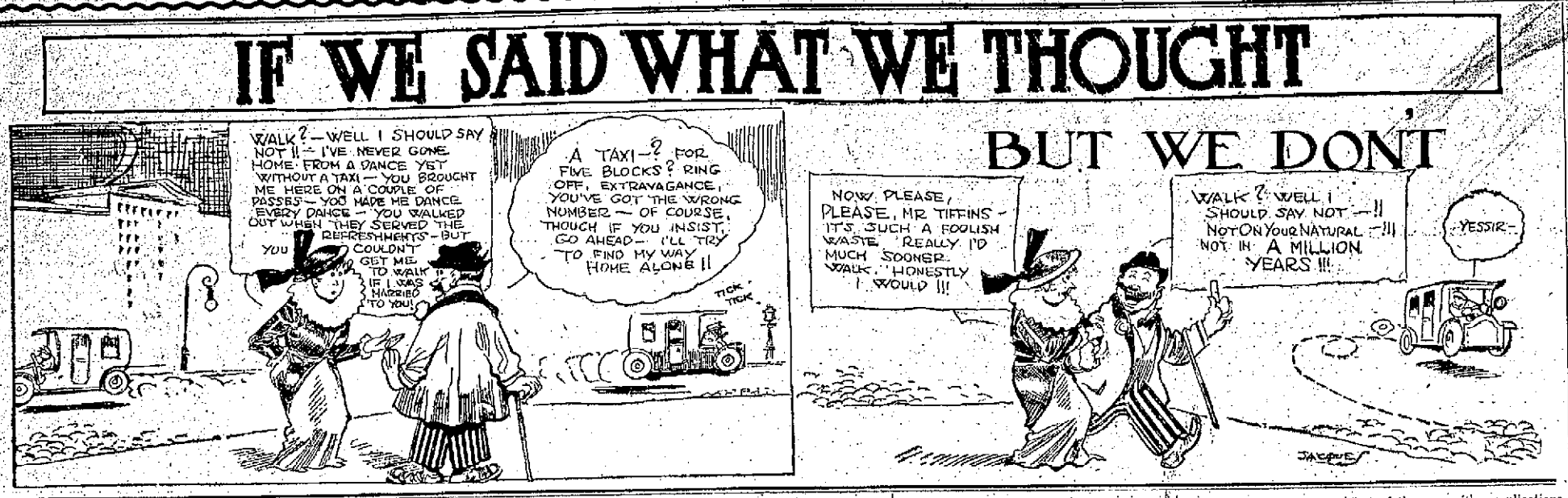
"I'd give annything in th' wurruld to see th' battle. I wud, by gar, I wud. Hoorta will bring his foorces up th' hill to th' chune iv a slow waltz. Th' gayly dressed couples will assimble around their chief, an' whin he gives th' well known battle field command, 'Let it go, professor!' ye'll see th' brave boys iv th' invadin' army break foorth in extended order, ache couple twisthin' an' reelin' around th' field. Gin'ral Hoorta, wid a rabbyray queen on ache arm, will dash foorward, an' damand that Villy surrinder, an' that's th' time th' Irish reel an' th' Spanish fandango will sashshay acrost th' fild. 'Twill be a great battle."

"D'ye really think 'twill come to that?" said the court attendant.

"To be troothful wid ye, I know it won't," said the Judge. "Policeman Casey tolt me th' nyether avnin' th' nixt time he met Hoorta on th' sthreet he was goin' to ran him in as a suspicious character, an' ye know Casey is no man to be thrifled wid."

Star Program at Columbia Tonight

Beverly Bayne in "The Conspiracy"
Lillian Walker in "The Gutter Snipe"



Garbage Zone To Get Fire Protection; Control Board Meets

The board of control Monday authorized the service director to lay a pipe line and fire hydrant along the Scioto valley garbage fire zone.

The board again decided to ask an expression from the city council on the proposed flood wall extension and if council decides against going ahead with the improvement that the city engineer prepare estimates for the proposed reconstruction of the Union street flood valve. It was decided also to repair the fence on the Seventeenth street side of Greenlawn cemetery.

The service director was authorized to repair South Kendall avenue from the railroad tracks to Eighth street to provide a better approach to the golf grounds.

It was reported that the reconstruction of the cannon in the soldier circles of Tracy park and Greenlawn cemetery would be completed before Decoration Day.

Suit Being Heard In Common Pleas

The case of C. A. Crabtree against Joseph Herzstam, a suit to recover $62.50, amount alleged due him as commission on the sale of an automobile for the defendant, was tried before a jury in common pleas court this morning, Judge Thomas presiding. The case will go to the jury later this afternoon.

Mr. Herzstam was awarded the verdict when the case was heard in common pleas court a few weeks ago, but Judge Thomas granted the motion for a new trial filed by the plaintiff's attorney. N. B. Gilfillond. Miller, Miller and Searl are the defendant's attorneys.

Wants To Keep Badge

Henry Baker was circulating petitions Monday for renomination for constable on the Republican ticket.

Successful Operation

Charles Brooks, N. & W. machinist, Highland avenue, was successfully operated upon for appendicitis at the Hempstead hospital Monday morning. Drs. O. W. Rabe, W. W. Smith and A. L. Test were the operating physicians. (Huntington papers copy).

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 11f

Conley Is Rearrested

William Conley, New Boston, was re-arrested this morning on a paternity charge preferred by Mary F. Greathouse, of near Fullerton. He was bound over to the grand jury by Squire Byrnn in the sum of $500 bond which he furnished.

Mr. Carson To Speak

Superintendent S. D. Eckhart of the New Boston schools, announced Monday that he had secured O. T. Carson of Columbus, to deliver the commencement address at the graduation exercises to be held in the Casino Tuesday evening, June 1.

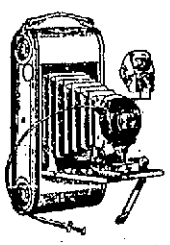
Three Things to Remember.

It is a maxim universally agreed upon in agriculture, that nothing must be done too late; and again, that everything must be done at its proper season; while there is a third precept which reminds us that opportunities lost can never be regained.—Pliny the Elder.

BIRTHS

A son was born Saturday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edmunds of Front street. The family recently moved here from Ashland, Ky.

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COUNTERFEIT MONEY HERE?

Believing that counterfeit five dollar bills have been circulated in Portsmouth, M. P. Bolan, a United States officer, dropped into the city Monday to inspect bills of this denomination in circulation here. It was stated that "phony" five dollar bills have been turned loose in great numbers in Cincinnati and adjoining cities the past few weeks.

The counterfeit bill is of the 1500 series, contains check "I" on it and is signed by J. C. Napier.

To be on the safe side local people should measure all "sweet Williams," as the bogus ones said to be in circulation are a quarter of an inch longer than the five dollar bills issued by Uncle Sam.

Inspectors Here

For the purpose of continuing their inspection work carried on in the city two weeks ago, T. L. Bell and T. S. Hamilton arrived here Monday and will remain until the inspection work is completed.

They started out Monday to inspect all buildings between Gay and Chillicothe streets and south of Ninth street.

Wife's Hand Shake Is Cause Of Fight

The flood wall in front of the Hotel Portsmouth was the scene of a lively fight Saturday evening. A man named Moore attacked another named Anderson because the latter it is claimed dared shake hands with his wife. Anderson was knocked into the middle of the street. No arrests.

CHARGES DESERTION

Desertion is charged by Grace L. Rogers in her divorce petition against her husband, Roy Rogers, filed in common pleas court this afternoon by her attorneys, Blair and Kimble. She charges abandonment. They were married in Columbus March 27, 1911, and have no children.

Mrs. Rogers asks divorce and restoration to her maiden name of Grace L. Scott.

Men Are Injured

R. J. Beacom and Lou Berkley, structural iron men employed with the Mount Vernon Bridge Company, got caught by a "T" rail at the new county bridge Monday afternoon. One had a finger mashed and the other had several fingers badly bruised. Dr. Rardin was called to attend them.

Saw Cobblers Win.

Alfred Fewkes of Seiotoville, witnessed the Portsmouth-Ironton game Sunday.

The livest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

Enjoyed Game

Ralph Bowser, Oscar Mitchell, Harry Gallkey and Howard Davis saw Portsmouth defeat Ironton Sunday.

Perry Penn, a plain drunk, was arrested at the N. & W. depot by Officer Callahan Smith Monday afternoon.

Miss Jean McCaffry, a graduate nurse of Columbus, is spending a few days at her home in this city.

Shelton Auto And A Horse Collide

L. A. Shelton and brother, C. C. Shelton, while near Rome, Adams county, Sunday, figured in an accident which luckily was not of a serious nature.

Their automobile and a horse collided. One of the fenders on the car was damaged and the horse was bruised. L. A. Shelton asserts that he was driving the car 15 miles an hour when, without warning, the horse lunged in front of his machine. The horse was standing along the roadside when the accident took place.

Enjoyed Fishing.

Orson H. Ogier, traveling salesman for the Wait Furniture Co. spent Saturday fishing on the Scioto river.

Otway Visitors.

Walter Cooper, of Otway, was a business visitor here, Saturday.

Davy Jones Saw Game.

"Davy" Jones, who has always been one of the Cobblers' hardest rooters went to Ironton Sunday and saw Portsmouth defeat Ironton.

DO IT NOW

The B. & O. S.-W. has quite a force of men at work laying new tracks and building trestles at Mud Pit for use in unloading the vast amount of material for the construction of the C. & O. Northern railroad.

Saw The Game

Winston and Pearl Ford spent Sunday in Ironton and witnessed the 10 to 1 defeat handed to Ironton.

In Ironton

Frank Schmitt and Theodore Ribble spent Sunday in Ironton.

WANT FLOOD WALL PUSHED

Property owners of Mill and Front streets circulated petitions Monday calling upon city council to get busy on the proposed extension of the flood wall, from its present terminus at Front and Chillicothe streets to Union street.

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Investigating Robbery

A. R. Pittman, chief agent of the Baldwin-Felts Detective Agency, is here from Bluefield, W. Va., investigating the N. & W. freight depot safe blowing job at Ironton.

With Mr. Stahler

Franklin Upp, a former Times carrier, has taken a position as bookkeeper for Edward Stahler, commission merchant on Front street.

Enjoyed Motor Trip

Franklin Upp and Edward Franck motored to Ironton last week.

Complaints

Complaints about a sunken place in the intersection of Lawson street and Robinson avenue and about a loose sewer cap at Tenth and Offnere streets have been referred to the service department.

Friends of Miss Margaret Maze, of Roanoke, Va., will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from a severe illness. Miss Maze has been confined to her bed for about three weeks. It is hoped by her friends and relatives that she will have a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walters and family motored to McDermott Sunday and spent a few hours at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Waller. Paul Waller who attends the local high school accompanied them home.

OBITUARY

Miss Callie Smith

Miss Callie Smith died at her home in Seiotoville at 6 o'clock Monday morning after a long illness with dropsy. She was 66 years of age and lived by herself. She was born on Pine Creek and was a daughter of Eli Smith and Emmarettu Noble. She leaves one sister, Mrs. Leo Nourse, of Seiotoville, and one brother, Alex Smith of Twin Mills, near Wheelersburg. Burial will be made at Wheelersburg, Wednesday.

Mrs. Georgia Scott

Mrs. Georgia Scott, aged 21, wife of Simon Scott, an employee of the River City Lumber Company, died at their home, 1011 John street, Saturday night following a two weeks' illness with typhoid fever. Besides the husband, she leaves a three-year-old daughter. The remains were taken to Vanceburg, Ky., Monday afternoon for burial.

Mrs. Alice C. Wallace

Mrs. Alice Campbell Wallace, wife of Charles Wallace, a tool-dresser, employed in the N. & W. shops, passed away Sunday morning at the family residence, 628 Eighth street. She had been ill since the first of the year with complications.

Mrs. Wallace was 53 years old and was a most estimable woman. She had been a member of the First Baptist church since 1893 and was an active member of the Daughters of America.

Funeral services at the First Baptist church Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, with Rev. T. H. McAfee in charge. Interment in Greenlawn.

Anna Robbins

The funeral of Addie Robbins, 54, who was found dead in bed at the home of her mother at Robbins Station, Pike county, last Friday morning, was held Sunday morning at Beaver Chapel. Death was due to heart trouble.

Fred Lesser

The following clipping from a Jackson paper relative to the will be read with regret in this Mrs. Mary A. Doerr, of this city, will be read with regret in this city, where the deceased was well known:

"A clipping has been sent us relative to the death of Fred Lesser which occurred April 19 at Beach North Dakota. He is survived by one brother Gabriel, four sisters, Mrs. Henry Spohn and Teresea Russ in this county, Mrs. Mary A. Doerr of Portsmouth and another in Illinois. He was 53 years of age. The clipping follows:

"'Fred Lesser who had been working for Chase Thompson expressed himself as not feeling well and decided to quit work and come to town Monday. The Thompson family watched Mr. Lesser as he left the farm and saw that he was quite bad and not able to make the trip by himself as he sat down to rest when not a long way from home. Mr. Thompson decided to help him on his way and started out in the auto and came up with the unfortunate man a short way on the road and got him to ride to town in the car.

"'When but a mile out from Beach Mr. Lesser breathed his last.

"'At the coroner's inquest heart failure was pronounced the cause of his demise. Relatives in Ohio were notified. The deceased owned property in Beach. Also something over $300 was found on his person.'"

Mrs. Mary Pennington

The 1913 flood was the indirect cause of the untimely death of Mrs. Mary Pennington, aged 30 years, wife of Henry Pennington, a former N. & W. engineer, whose remains arrived in the city from Comfort, Texas, Sunday night for burial here.

Mrs. Pennington died at Comfort on May 12th of tuberculosis which she developed after contracting a cold from their dampened home after the flood in East Portsmouth. Mr. Pennington gave up his position and left with his wife and her mother, Mrs. Jos. Morgan for Fayette, Iowa, where the latter took up her residence a year ago. There she spent last summer, going for the winter to Texas. She and husband were just preparing to return to Iowa for the summer when she took a turn for the worse and soon succumbed to her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Pennington were married four years ago. An only son by a former marriage, Harold, makes his home with his grandmother in Iowa. They arrived here Monday noon, accompanied by Mrs. Pennington's only surviving brother, Jos. Morgan and family of Detroit, Mich.

The remains were removed by Undertaker Daehler to the home of Mrs. Pennington's aunt, Mrs. William Tipton of No. 626 Tenth street. The funeral will take place probably Tuesday.

Mrs. Pennington was a member of Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, having affiliated with the church during the Billy Sunday meeting here a few years ago.

James Keibler

Mr. James Keibler, of Hampshire, Ky., departed this life May 10th, 1915.

The death Angels came and took from us the one we loved most dearly.

It hasn't been but a short time since we gave up the dear mother, just a little over three months ago.

Mr. Keibler was 52 years of age. He leaves five children to mourn his loss: Jessie, Asberry, John, Abe and Lizzie. Besides his children he leaves six brothers and one sister, all of Hampshire, Ky.

Mr. Keibler was a kind and loving father and was loved by all who knew him. We will sadly miss his smiling face.

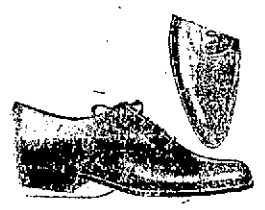
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WANTED:—A girl for general housework in family of two. 1744 5th St. Phone 545 A. 17-3

WANTED:—Carpenter wants work by day or contract. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. E. Marshall, 815 10th St. 17tf

WANTED:—Good woman capable of selling goods. Call at once, 172 Gallia avenue, New Boston. Home phone 1715 Y. 17tf

WANTED:—Lady of good character to join traveling theatrical company. Experience unnecessary, Box 138, Sciotoville, O. 17-3

WANTED—At once experienced girl for general housework. 1215 4th St. Phone 385. 17-2

WANTED:—To buy a steer, weight 1200. Call 1015 3rd St. Phone 1503 Y. Oscar Boyer. 17-3

WANTED:—To trade two lots for five passenger auto. Phone 1691 A. 17tf

WANTED:—Clean cut young man, about 18, experienced, to sell groceries and feed on commission. Call 1716 A. 11tf

NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams Phone 1025 A. 14tf

NOTICE:—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning, Al Reiniger, 1815 6th. Phone 1267 Y. 16tf

WANTED:—Girl for general housework at 1031 Gallia. 16-3

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 5tf

NOTICE:—Judson Whitfield cleans all paper clean. Phone 964 Y. 24tf

WANTED:—Boarders 722 Washington, all conveniences. 13-6

WANTED:—Carpet and rug weaving to do. 1534 12th. Mrs. Hapner. 12-6

WANTED:—Agents. Lusitania's destruction and horrors of the great war, thrilling heart rending, appalling, greatest seller ever published. Only $1.00. Big terms. Sample book free. Universal House, Philadelphia. 12-6

WANTED:—Girl for general housework, 2918 17th. Phone 1332 Y. 15-2

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FOR SALE:—Hill top cottage, splendid location. Four large rooms, bath, extra large pantry, owner leaving town next week. Wants a quick sale. Price $2700. Phone 506. LEW LOWRY. 15-2

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FOR SALE:—Horse and grocery wagon. Cheap. 1119 8th. 17-6

FOR SALE:—Ford touring body, in good condition. Can be used for jitney bus or will exchange for Ford roadster body. Phone 325 X. 17-2

FOR SALE:—Mated working Homer pigeons, 809 Grimes avenue. Phone 519 Y. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Baby carriage, two 50-inch window shades, two gas heating stoves, gas burner for coal cooking stove, incubator 1231 17th. Phone 1355 X. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Hoosier potatoes for late planting. Roscoe Swabby, Long Run. Phone 3100 Y. 17-3

FOR SALE:—French poodle pups, Wallace second hand store, 6th and Gay. 14-3

FOR SALE:—3 acre farm, 3 room house, all fenced, good water, $200. 1035 15th. 14-3

FOR SALE:—Or trade. Palm Beach Co., Florida, 15 acres and 7 room bungalow, all kinds of fruit, fine place for chicken ranch, cheap for quick sale. Phone 1325 or Room 27, First National Bank Bldg. 14-3

FOR SALE:—Cheap 17 foot hydroplane motor boat, used only 3 months. Call phone 1469 R. 11tf

FOR SALE:—Or trade. Beautiful hilltop cottage, 6 rooms and bath, lot 50x146. Will consider smaller property or vacant lot as part payment and carry balance on monthly payments. Phone 506. LEW LOWRY. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Horse and buggy, 1729 Offnere St. 16tf

FOR SALE:—A lot of pigs. Inquire Frank J. Sommer, Phone 2202 Y. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Paper bailer in good condition. Phone 822. 15-3

FOR SALE:—One Estate gas range with water coil, can be seen at 1810 Grant St. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Or trade, 17 acre farm, 6 room house, Chillicothe pike, two miles from city limits, beautiful home, ideal for truck, fruit or poultry farm. Will exchange for city property. What have you for trade? Phone 506 LEW LOWRY. 15-2

FOR SALE:—Three touring cars second hand. One Ford roadster W. J. Friel, 734 5th. 15-3

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FOR SALE:—Mammoth Purple tomato plants. 831 3rd. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Horse and phaeton, 814 Prospect. Phone 427 B. 14-3

FOR SALE—7 h. p. Indian motorcycle. 629 Front. 15-6

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FOR RENT:—Furnished room for light housekeeping, gas included, 930 Gallia. 11tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with use of bath. Phone 1286 A or 1217 Franklin. 14tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1118 Gallia. 14tf

FOR RENT:—7-room upstairs flat, suitable for one or two families. Hot and cold water and bath. Inquire at 823 Gallia St. 14-3

FOR RENT:—Three unfurnished rooms with bath and all conveniences, 881 X. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Good stable. Inquire 2017 Robinson avenue in rear. 17-6

FOR RENT:—Cottage, 1913 8th St. Phone 1397 A. 14tf

FOR RENT:—7 room house with bath, East Third. Phone 762 X. 14-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house with bath on 8th between Chillicothe and Gay. W. L. Baker, Ohio Valley Bank Bldg. Phone 902 X. 14-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house 1132 Front.
4 room house, 1126 Front.
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4 room flat, 1321 Summit.
5 room house, 1814 Dexter.
4 room house, 1817 Dexter.
4 room house, 409 Broadway.
4 room house, 417 Boundary.
4 room house, 419 Boundary.
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FOR RENT:—2 nice furnished rooms for light housekeeping, Vinton avenue. Phone 596 Y. 11-10

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FOR RENT:—House at 823 11th, also 417 Court. Inquire 702 9th 11tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 822 Chillicothe St. 19tf

FOR RENT:—2 front rooms furnished for light housekeeping, $4 per week, fine location, 423 Offnere. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Store room, 822 Gallia. Inquire at Lehman's Store. 23tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, $2.50 per week. 839 10th. Phone 1114 A. 13tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1115 Gay St. Phone 178 A. 13tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room, bath, modern conveniences, 614 Washington. 10tf

FOR RENT:—3 room flat on Gallia, 3 room cottage on 13th. Phone 575, James A. Maxwell. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 914 8th. 1tf

FOR RENT:—Nice front room, furnished; bath and phone 1120 4th. Phone 50. 13tf

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms. All conveniences. 1117 Gallia. 12tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished rooms, 709½ Chillicothe St. 17tf

FOR RENT:—6 room house, bath. 1521 6th. Phone 823 Y. 1552 6th. 17-3

FOR RENT:—3 room flat. 2227 8th St. Phone Y 1138 or call at 1412 4th. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms. 1119 8th. 17-6

FOR RENT—One furnished room with bath. Call 1113 4th St. 17-3

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FOR RENT:—4 room house in rear, 1311 McConnell avenue. 17-3

The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, May 17.—Initial gains were followed by slight recessions resulting mainly from selling for profits. This condition in turn gave way to yet a higher level for some of the leaders, notably steel. Specialties, however, failed to retain more than a fair share of their advance, Bethlehem Steel for instance yielding 3 points. Trading slackened before the end of the first hour, becoming almost stagnant by mid-day. Commission houses, recently prominent in the rising market, took little part in today's operations which were almost wholly under professional control. Bonds were strong.

Last Saturday's price recovery was resumed on a broad and general scale at the outset of to-day's trading, standard shares gaining 1 to 2 points while war specialties rose 3 to 7, Bethlehem Steel making the greatest advance. Trading reflected confidence in a satisfactory adjustment of impending international complications, London's market for our shares showing firmness. Dealings were fairly large but without spectacular features. United States Steel was the only stock to show unusual activity at the opening, a block of 4600 shares being offered at 52½ to 53, against last week's close of 51⅝.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper, 66¾.
American Beet Sugar, 43½.
American Can, 33½.
American Car & Foundry, 50¼
American Cotton Oil, 46⅛.
American Smelting and Refining, 65¼.
American Sugar Refining, 105¾
American Telephone and Telegraph, 118½.
Anaconda Mining Co., 32.
Atchison, 99¾.
Baltimore & Ohio, 72½.
Bethlehem Steel, 113¾.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 87⅛.
California Petroleum, 15½.
Canadian Pacific, 158⅛.
Central Leather, 35⅛.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 43⅜.
Chino Copper, 43⅛.
Chicago & North Western 124½
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul, 90.
Denver & Rio Grande, 9.
Erie, 25⅜.
General Electric, 151.
Goodrich Co., 42¼.
Great Northern, pfd., 117.
Illinois Central, 106.
Interborough-Met., 20⅛.
Inter. Harvester, 92.
Lehigh Valley, 140.
Louisville & Nashville, 115.
Maxwell Motor Co., 1st pfd., 81.
Mexican Petroleum, 69½.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 12½.
Missouri Pacific, 13½.
National Lead, 58½.
New York Central, 84¾.
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford, 62⅛.
Norfolk & Western, 101½.
Northern Pacific, 104½.
Pennsylvania, 107.
Ray Consolidated, 22¾.
Reading, 143⅝.
Republic Iron & Steel, 27.
Southern Pacific, 87¾.
Southern Railway, 16⅝.
Studebaker Co., 65¾.
Texas Co., 123.
Tennessee Copper, 33.
Union Pacific, 125.
United States Rubber, 61.
United States Steel, 53¼.
United States Steel, pfd., 106.
Utah Copper, 64¼.
Western Union, 65.
Westinghouse Electric, 88⅝.
C. R. I. & Pac., 23¼.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, May 17.—Serious crop damage reports from Missouri had a bullish effect today on the wheat market here. Assertions were received that the Hessian fly was in every field in the western part of the state, and that a heavy reduction of yield could apparently not be escaped.

Widespread frost over the spring crop belt tended further to strengthen the market. After opening ½ cent off to a like advance, prices scored a material gain all round.

Corn ascended with wheat. At first however, the market was heavy owing to favorable crop reports and because of easy cables. Opening prices which were ⅛ to ¾ lower were followed by a rally to well above Saturday night's level.

Oats merely reflected the action of other grain. Trade was of a scattering character.

Steadiness ruled in provisions. The bulge in cereals seemed to offset lower prices for hogs.

Talk that the crop damage in Missouri, Kansas, Illinois and other states might result in a cut of 100,000,000 bushels from the government figures of a month ago, led afterward to a sharp additional upturn. The close was unsettled at a rule of 1¾ to 4½ cents net.

Predictions of frost counted against the bears. Quotations closed firm ⅜c to ¾c net higher.

OPENING PRICES

Wheat: May, $1.52; July, $1.27½; Sept., $1.21½.

Corn: May, 73½c; July, 76⅜c; Sept., 77¾c.

Oats: May, 51⅝c; July, 51¼c; Sept., 46⅝c.

CLOSING PRICES

Chicago, Ills., May 17.—Close Wheat, May, $1.56; July, $1.29¾.

Corn, May, 74⅜c; July, 77⅛c.

Oats, May, 52c; July, 51⅛c.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork, July, $18.02; September, $18.32.

Lard, July, $9.65; Sept. $9.90.

Ribs, July, $10.55; Sept. $10.80.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, O., May 17.—Wheat cash and May $1.57; July, $1.28⅝.

Corn, cash 76¾c; May, 76c; July, 79⅛c.

Oats, cash 54¾c; May, 54¼c; July, 53⅛c.

Rye, No. 2, $1.15.

Clover seed, prime cash $7.90; Oct. $8.27¾.

Ilsike, prime cash $6.00.

Timothy, prime cash $2.87½; September, $3.17¾.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 17.—Hogs—receipts 35,000 slow; Bulk $7.70@7.80; Light $7.60@7.90; mixed $7.55@7.90. Heavy $7.30@7.85; Rough $7.30@7.45; Pigs $7.75@7.35.

Cattle—receipts 17,000; steady; native beef steers 06.80@9.25; Western steers $6.00@7.85. Cows and heifers $3.30@8.75. Calves $6.50@9.25.

Sheep—receipts 10,000; weak; Sheep $7.90@8.75. Lambs $7.70@10.50.

PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, May 17.—Cattle—receipts 900; higher; Top $9.40.

Hogs—receipts 800; active; Prime heavies, $8.00@8.05; Heavy mixed, mediums and yorkers $8.10@8.15; Pigs $7.75@7.85.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 7,000 active; Top sheep $8.10; Top Lambs $10.25.

Calves—receipts 800; steady. Top $9.00.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, May 17.—Cattle—receipts 650; market 10 to 15 higher. Choice fat steers $8.25@8.50. Fair to good butcher steers $7.25@8.75. Good to choice heifers $7.00@8.00. Good to choice butcher bulls, $6.25@7.00; fair to good cows $5.50@6.75.

Calves—receipts 300; market 25 lower. Good to choice veal calves $8.50@8.75.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 1,500; market steady.

Hogs—receipts 5,000; market 5 higher; mediums yorkers and light yorkers $8.15.

Pigs $7.90; Roughs $6.40; Stags $5.50.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, May 17.—Hogs—receipts 5,100; steady; Packers and butchers $7.80@7.95; common to choice $5.75@7.30; Pigs and Lights $5.25@7.90; Stags $4.50@6.00.

Cattle—receipts 1,100; steady. Steers $5.25@8.50; Heifers $6.75@8.75; cows, $4.75@6.60. Calves steady, $4.75@8.25.

Sheep—receipts 1,000; strong; $5.00@6.75. Lambs strong $6.25@11.50.

BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., May 17.—Cattle—receipts 4,500; steady to active. Prime steers $8.50@8.60; Shipping $7.75@8.35; Butchers $6.50@8.60; Heifers $5.25@8.25; Cows $3.75@7.25; Bulls $4.50@7.35.

Veals—1,300; active $4.50@9.50

Hogs—18,500; active. Heavy $8.75@8.25; Mixed $8.25; Yorkers $8.15@8.25.

Pigs $7.90@8.00. Roughs $6.75@6.85. Stags $5.00@5.75.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 9,000; active. Sheep steady. Lambs $6.00@10.75; Yearlings $5.50@9.25; Wethers $8.00@8.50; Ewes $3.00@7.75; Sheep mixed $7.75@800.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 17—Butter: higher; creamery, 29c to 26½c.

Eggs: steady; receipts, 29,763 cases. At mark, cases included, 17c to 18½c; ordinary firsts, 16½c to 17½c; firsts, 18½c to 18½c.

Potatoes: higher; receipts, 52 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin Red, 35c to 40c; do white, 40c to 47c. Poultry: alive, steady; fowls 16c.

SUGAR

New York, May 17—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 4.89c; molasses, 4.12c; refined firm; cut loaf, 6.90c; crushed, 6.80c; mould A, 6.45c; cubes, 6.25c; XXXX powdered, 6.15c; powdered, 6.15c; fine granulated, 6.00c; Diamond A, 6.00c; confectioner's A, 5.90c; No. 1, 5.75c.

Sugar futures were steadier early today on the better demand for granulated. Prices at noon were unchanged to five points higher.

MONEY MARKET

New York, May 17.—Call money steady; high 2; law 1¾; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1¾; offered at 2.

COTTON

New York, May 17—Cotton futures closed steady; May, 9.20c; July, 9.34c; Oct. 9.81c; Dec. 10.03c; Jan. 10.07c.

Charges Assault

An affidavit was filed in Squire Byron's court Monday morning by Marshal Albert Cook of South Webster, against Jennings Cole, of the same place, charging him with assault and battery. Cole waived the preliminary examination and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $100 bond, which he furnished.

Building Permit

John G. Busl, $50 improvements at No. 821 Third street.

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TERMINALS

Selby Weaver, 16, of Barden, had his face badly lacerated Saturday when he fell or was thrown from N. & W. freight train No. 54 at Brookside near Rushtown on the West Side. Weaver told the train crew he was pushed off the train by other boys. Lawrence Boyles and John E. Burton, N. & W. brakemen, were witnesses to the accident. Conductor L. C. Payne was in charge of the train. The lad was taken to his home on a west bound train.

J. C. Clark, representing the N. & W. telegraph department, with offices in Roanoke, and C. A. Preston, traveling representative of the superintendent of transportation's office at Roanoke, was a visitor at N. & W. headquarters Saturday.

All N. & W. men have been invited to attend the illustrated lecture given by Col. J. L. Taylor, assistant to chief inspector of Bureau of Explosives at Hotel Sinton, Cincinnati, May 20. The lecture will be given under the auspices of American Association of Railroad Superintendents, Cincinnati division.

Mrs. Norman Apel of Gallia pike, spent Saturday with home folks in Sciotoville.

Edward Wamsley of Beech street and Gallia pike, is repainting his home.

Mrs. S. M. Winters, wife of N. & W. Fireman Winters, will be the guest of relatives in Kenova in a few days.

There were 74 present at the Tabernacle Bible school services Sunday afternoon. Superintendent E. F. Rideout was in charge. Rev. A. B. Johnson of Sciotoville, delivered a short sermon at the close of the Bible school exercises.

M. F. O'Keefe, N. & W. yard conductor, of Columbus, employed in the Joyce avenue yard at Columbus, had his left hand slightly mashed Sunday while adjusting the knuckle of a coupler on a car. He had charge of yard engine 749.

N. & W. Engineer J. A. Callihan is having cement walks laid about his new residence on Gallia pike.

W. T. Carter of Poplar street, returned Monday from a delightful visit with friends and relatives in Roanoke, Va., and Bluefield, W. Va.

Wilbur Samson and son Ralph, Messrs. George and Carl Samson and Milburn Shope motored to Stockdale Sunday in Mr. George Samson's touring car. They had a delightful trip.

HARMONY LODGE HOLDS THANKSGIVING SERVICES

The Harmony Lodge No. 39, K. of P. met at the A. U. U. hall Sunday afternoon and marched to the Pleasant Green Baptist church, where they held Thanksgiving services. They were headed by the Lewis Brass Band. The Silver Leaf Court also turned out in a body. A splendid audience was in attendance at the services and Mr. Kane Fossett acted as master of ceremonies. The opening hymn by the choir was "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Miss Lulu Turner presided at the organ. Mr. Wm. Gooden read the lodge proclamation, after which Mr. Fossett introduced the Rev. W. P. Chapman, pastor of the church, who delivered an eloquent sermon. The pastor was assisted by Rev. John Irvin, of Allen Chapel A. M. E. church.

Rev. Grant Metcalf, at the close of the sermon, joined Mr. John Evans in presenting the pastor with a handsome sum of money.

WORK ON THE RIGHT-OF-WAY

Much headway is being made in clearing the C. & O. right of way back of Sciotoville. The contractors kept a large force of men on the job Sunday. Camps have been established along the line and scenes of real activity are being witnessed along the C. & O. right of way between Sciotoville and Harrisonville.

WILL MARRY ON WARSHIP

New York, May 17.—An incident of the fleet review here placed on the program by Secretary Daniels today is to be a wedding tonight aboard the battleship New York. Miss Gertrude Cameron of this city, the bride-elect, obtained the secretary's permission to have ceremony performed on the battleship after writing him a letter in which she explained that this was her wedding day and asked that she might be permitted to show her patriotism by being married aboard the battleship named for her native state.

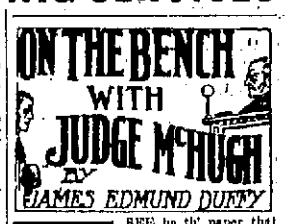
Mr. Daniels said the letter was so patriotic that he decided to grant the request. She is to marry Herbert H. Van Loan, a newspaper man.

Regulars Won Game

The Kentucky Regulars defeated the St. Mary's team Sunday at South Portsmouth, the score being 13 to 11. Cooper and Lawson formed the Kentucky battery and Fleming and Allemang worked for the St. Mary's team.

Suit Commences Tuesday.

The suit of Kaps Bros. against the B. & O. S.-W. railroad to recover $100 alleged to be due for damages suffered by the firm during the 1913 flood will begin in common pleas court Tuesday. Attorneys Philipps and Simmons of Chillicothe, are here to represent the railroad company.



"HEE bo th' paper that th' wan time Prisidint iv th' bowld an' feerless Rapublic iv Mixico, th' home iv th' hot tamally, which has f'r its coat iv arms a pitcher iv a naygur wrasslin' match, is goin' to splind th' summer in New York," said Judge McHugh.

"Ye don't say so," said the court attendant.

"Shut I do say so, arick, an' I have plinty more to say," sid dthe Judge. "Yis, th' cillybrated viathor is amongst us. If ye go out iv an afthernoon ye'll see him athrollin' down Fifth avenoo, an' ivery time he lights a fresh seegar 'tis f'r'm a slick iv dinnymite he carries in his rare pocket. No mure Mixico f'r him. Not while anny wan's lookin', annyway.

"'Tis quare to see how min change so readily. On'y yisterday he was rollin' around th' naygur Rapublic wid a chip on his shoulder, an' here he is to-day in New York drinkin' ice cream sodees an' dancin' th' tango.

"If ye looked thru th' dure iv a dance hall ye'd see th' ol' crow twirlin' around th' flure wid wan arm around th' alms waist iv a dainty partinor, an' th' other feelin' if his artillery is where he put it whin he left th' hotel. He's a great dancer, I'm told. Divin help th' average dancers if some wan steps on a match! He'll think shure 'tis Pancho Villy enjoyin' a little indore forgaret practice an' will ethart his artillery goin'.

"Ye nivver can tell about thim min f'm th' naygur Rapublics. They're like April weather, an' ye know how thricky that is. I'll tell ye, Jawn, I'd not dance on th' same flure wid Hoorta. Bad cess to him, I wud not. I know little iv th' ballroom stradegy that an ol' Gin'ral iv a naygur counthry is th' leader of. I'll stay here in th' back room iv Cassidy's place an' play casino. I'd rather play cards anny day than dance. That's f'r th' young an' giddy or th' ol' an' foolish, an' I'm neither.

"I was thinkin' last night whin I lay on me downy piller that it may be that th' sly ol' fox iv a Hoorta is goin' back to Mixico wid an army iv tango dancers. By gar, I wudden't be surprised if that's what he intends to do. Th' mure I think iv it th' mure I'm convinced that 'tis some such game as that he's up to. Well, mure luck to him, an' bad luck to th' dancers. 'Twud do th' city gudo if half iv thim laid their listless lives on th' kitchen athore iv a Mixican naygur's home.

"Wait until th' winther's come, an' ye'll see Hoorta an' th' dancin' army invadin' Mixico wid a string orchestry. They'll be th' Fox Throt brigade, an' th' Hisitation battalion, an' th' Tango rigimint. Everything in th' dancin' line will be ripristinted but th' Irish reel an' th' Spanish fandango. Thim thried an' thru patriots iv th' ballroom flure will be in th' trinches wid th' enemy, an' Hivin help th' fancy dancers whin th' Irish reel charges across th' field.

"I'd give annything in th' wurruld to see th' battle. I wud, by gar, I wud. Hoorta will bring his foorces up th' hill to th' chune iv a slow waltz. Th' nayly dressed couples will assimble around their chief, an' whin he gives th' well known battle field command, 'Let it go, professor!' ye'll see th' brave boys iv th' invadin' army break fourth in extended order, ache couple twistin' an' reelin' around th' field. Gin'ral Hoorta, wid a crabbyray queen on ache arm, will dash foorward, an' demand that Villy surrinder, an' that's th' time th' Irish reel an' th' Spanish fandango will sashshay across th' fild. 'Twill be a great battle."

"D'ye really think 'twill come to that?" said the court attendant.

"To be troothful wid ye, I know it won't," said the Judge. "Poliamin Casey tolt me th' nyether avnin' th' nixt time he met Hoorta on th' sthreet he was goin' to run him in as a suspicious character, an' ye know Casey is no man to be thrifled wid."

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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 66. Residence A-906.

Dear Dolly.—What do you think of a man who goes into a girl's house at 11 o'clock and wants to sit and talk?

WANT-TO-KNOW.

No gentleman would attempt to go into a home at that hour of the night. If he doesn't know any better tell him what's what or else have your father or brother settle the matter for you.

Dear Miss Wise.—What kind of material would be suitable for a graduation dress?

SWEET GIRL GRAD.

Voile, batiste, linon, lace cloth, Persian lawn, or Marquisette.

Dear Dolly.—Can you suggest a suitable way to entertain a party of young girls in the afternoon?

A MOTHER.

Why not have a May party. Little May baskets make such adorable favors.

Dear Miss Wise.—Please tell me how to size a rug or carpet?

A READER.

Dissolve one part of common glue with ten parts of warm water. Hang the rug over a pole and paint the wrong side of the rug with a paint brush dipped in the solution. Do not get too much of the solution on the back of it, or it will soak through and show on the surface. It is best to do this out of doors where the rug can dry quickly.

Dear Dolly.—What will take yellow carbon stain out of a lavender wool dress? It won't rub off.

A READER.

Chloroform or ether ought to take it off. You could also use ivory soap and water on a wool dress.

Dear Dolly.—My gentleman friend gave he a gold locket and chain for Christmas. It is very pretty and looks like gold, but it makes a green ring on my neck. Do you think it is brass?

BLUE EYES.

The fact that the chain turns your neck green is no sign it is not the real thing. The "green ring" is probably the result of chemical changes in your body.

Dear Dolly.—Would you please advise me what games or contests would be nice for girls 13 or 14 years old to play at a party and also some prizes that would be nice for girls of the same age.

THE KID.

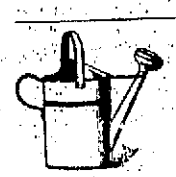
Cut pictures of well known advertisements from magazines and newspaper eliminating any reading matter that would tend to show what the picture advertises. Ask the girls to tell what each ad is for. Another contest is a flower contest. As for instance, "Up Early in the Morning", would be "Sun Flower"; "Afternoon Tea", a "Four O'clock"; "Well Known Brand of Milk", "Carnation", etc. Have them guess the flowers. Give a box of chocolates, a girl's book or a picture.

Dear Dolly.—I have been going with a man for some time and when we go to a picture show he wants to hold my hand. Is this right and what should I do, scream?

JEANETTE.

I wouldn't go with a man who doesn't know how to behave. I should see that he didn't hold my hand. It makes a girl so common to do such things, and a first class man doesn't do it.

Undecided Youth—If I were you I would keep away from the country couple. They are wisor than you imagine and will get you into trouble if you don't watch out.



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SOCIETY

Mrs. Charles E. Hard gave an informal but charming party Saturday evening when she invited a dozen friends to her beautiful home on Franklin avenue to meet Mrs. Warren G. Harding, the charming wife of United States Senator Warren G. Harding. Mrs. Norma Hard Young entertained the guests with a song recital, assisted by Mrs. Samuel R. Crawford, pianist, her daughter, Miss Ruth Crawford, and Mrs. Hard, violinists. The entertainment was most delightful. By request Mrs. Hard and Miss Crawford played a violin duet, "O Dry Those Tears," accompanied by Mrs. Crawford. Mrs. Young sang unusually well. In serving delicious refreshments Mrs. Hard was assisted by Miss Crawford and Mrs. Young.

Miss Anna McIntyre, of Cincinnati, will arrive tomorrow to visit at the home of Mrs. John Peebles.

Misses Audrey Nourse, Esther Muller, Alethia Barr, Messrs. Guy Nourse, Homer Wilson and Pete Brandel, chaperoned by Mrs. Barr, enjoyed an outing at Crichton's Inn Saturday.

The Temple Builders of the First Baptist church will hold cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeman, 1203 Clay street, on Tuesday evening.

Miss Ruth Walters, of Ironton, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Harry Swabel, of Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Spicer, formerly of this city, now of Huntington, W. Va., were the week-end guests of Mrs. Sarah Little, of Third street.

Mrs. George Staker, of Franklin Furnace, who was the guest of friends in Cincinnati last week, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Means, of Third street, Saturday. Mrs. Staker was on her way home.

Mrs. Thomas Morgan and two daughters, Ada and Mary, have returned to their home in Wellston after a short visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Thuma, of 910 Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Farmer, of Wheelersburg, were the guests of Mrs. Maggie Berridge and Mrs. Steve Hoban, of Ninth street, last week, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Luther and baby son, Robert Luther, of Newtown, O., are guests of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Thomas, of Third street.

Mrs. George D. Selby will be hostess at Wednesday afternoon's meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club at their summer cottage, "Poplar Lodge," on Rosemount Road.

Miss Louise Gibbs was hostess at Saturday evening's meeting of the K. K. K. Club at her home on Glover street. Those present were Misses Genevieve Dupre, Edna Barth, Mildred Purdum, Margaret Anderson, Alta Marsh, Florence Dachler, Elizabeth Huddleson, Ruth Klingman, Margaret Quinn and Mildred McAfee. At the end of the evening's pleasures Miss Gibbs served refreshments. The next meeting will be an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lake motored to Ironton yesterday in the Thomas car.

The First Baptist Woman's Mission Circle will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward Shump, who will be assisted by Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Ailstock. Mrs. Barney Donley will have charge of the program.

Miss Mary Switalski celebrated her ninth birthday anniversary by entertaining the Little Misses Sewing club at the home of her parents, No. 1126 Second street, Saturday afternoon. Those present were: Misses Jane Snyder, Anna Glockner, Clara Vetter, Regina Reitz, Louise Scheffler, Dolores Maier and Mary Martha McMahon. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Evangelical church will have an outing Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. Suiter, on Mabert Road. All members are requested to be present. Refreshments will be served and a grand time is anticipated.

Mrs. Frank Lauffer, of Covington, Ky., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. S. Clark, of Third street.

Mrs. Will J. Meyer, of North Waller street, has returned from a visit to friends in Huntington and Ironton.

Mrs. Emory Morgan, of Oak Hill, has returned to her home after a short visit at the home of Miss Rachel Evans, of Third street.

Mrs. George C. Clark, of Third street, Mrs. Lee Thuma, Mrs. Fred Mantel and Mrs. Elbert Lauter are spending the week at a camp on Bear Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zoellner and son, Karl, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Amann and Miss Margaret Neudoerfer motored to Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dougherty and wife, of Waverly, motored to Portsmouth, Sunday on a pleasure trip.

Mrs. William Doerr and Mrs. George Lockwood gave a delightful Kensington this afternoon at Mrs. Doerr's home on Fourth street, for the benefit of the Tubercular Fresh Air Camp. Mrs. Lockwood's guests will entertain the next round and were as follows: Mesdames Frank Price, Edward Strittmatter, Henry Charlton, Charles Mohl, William Brandel, Van Storer, W. L. Bayless and Augustus Pusateri. Mrs. Doerr's guests come in on the last round and will not have to give an entertainment. The afternoon was spent in needlework, after which refreshments were served.

The Young Woman's Missionary Society of Trinity Methodist church will meet this evening at the home of Miss Sara Miller, on Eighth street.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of the German Evangelical church, will participate in an outing next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Suter, on Mabert Road. All members are requested to meet at the Sunday school room to leave there at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Edgar Hill and baby arrived this afternoon from Charleston, W. Va., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Patterson.

Mrs. Clara Geer, of Sinton street, had as guests Sunday her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kilbourne, of Ashland.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Grady, where Mrs. John Ives, Miss Florence Richardson and Mrs. D. A. Alspaugh will be the assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Dave Edwards has returned from a visit with Mrs. James Henry in New Castle, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Cissna, who have been visiting at the home of the Misses Kinney, in Sunnyside, have gone to Piketon to visit relatives and from there will go to Chicago to spend the summer.

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Miss Kate Crichton has gone home to Wheelersburg after a short visit with Miss Clara Waller.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bressler motored down this morning from Waverly and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pressler, who had been in Waverly spending the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Selby entertained at dinner Sunday Senator and Mrs. Warren G. Harding, and Mr. George Christian, of Marion. The party left in the afternoon for Athens.

The B. Y. P. U. will meet at the First Baptist church Thursday evening, after church.

The Bigelow Methodist Ladies' Aid Society will meet Tuesday afternoon, at 3:30, at the home of Mrs. F. E. Duluit, instead of at the church, where the meetings are always held. The meetings will be held after the meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, also at Mrs. Duduit's home.

Mrs. Blanchard Anderson entertained at dinner Sunday evening Mrs. Albert Shropp and little son, Albert, Jr., of Huntington, W. Va.

The Bigelow Children's Missionary Society held an interesting meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Carolyn and Elizabeth Nye. Recitations were given by Gilbert and Richard Fuller, Jean Cole and Grace Ruark. Carolyn and Elizabeth Nye sang pretty selections and Elizabeth and Katherine Duduit sang a pretty duet. Arrangements were made for a jitney ride on June 3rd, from the church, where ice cream and cake will be served on the lawn. Owners of automobiles of the church will loan their cars for the ride. The next meeting will be held at the home of Sara Louise Walker.

Mr. Simon Labold and daughter, Miss Leona Labold, and Miss Miriam Haas and Miss Charlotte Bannon motored to Cincinnati Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wertz and family motored to Ironton Sunday.

The Misses Carrie and Edna Herman and Eloise Smith and Messrs. Charles Lenhart, Willard Wilson and Chester Riggles motored to Crichton's Inn Sunday and spent the day there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeLotelle, who were married a few days ago in Ironton, arrived here Sunday evening and will soon go to housekeeping.

The Trinity Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Reading Circle will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John T. Breece, on Eighth street.

Miss Mildred, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Waller, prominent residents of McDermott, was eighteen years old Saturday, and a number of her Portsmouth friends planned a pleasant surprise on her in honor of the happy occasion. The jolly crowd of merrymakers went out to the Waller home on the afternoon N. & W. train and from there proceeded to the office of the Waller Bros. Stone Company, about half a mile away, where Miss Waller is employed as stenographer, and showered her with all kinds of pretty and useful presents. Her parents presented her with a handsome diamond ring, which is always "a thing of beauty and a joy forever" to the heart of every young girl. Mr. and Mrs. Waller then chaperoned the young folk to picturesque Crichton's Inn, where a sumptuous picnic supper was served. Later, music, games and dancing were indulged in until time for the 9:30 train, when the guests returned to their homes, after having spent a most delightful afternoon and evening. Those present were as follows: The Misses Lucile Tracy, Marguerite and Georgia Kibbey, Ora and Gladys Waller, Blanche Bradford, Alyne Stevens and Mildred Waller; Messrs. Crowder Perkins, Robert Nutter, Howard Runyan, Charles and Arthur Walters and Paul Waller.

Mrs. Charles E. Hard gave a dinner Saturday evening at their handsome new home on Franklin avenue, complimentary to Senator Warren G. Harding, of Marion, who was a guest at Mr. Hard's home. A French basket of Killarney roses adorned the center of the table. Covers were laid for Senator and Mrs. Harding, Edwin Jones, of Jackson, Philo Clark, L. D. York, G. D. Selby, F. W. Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. Hard. For breakfast Sunday morning, besides Senator and Mrs. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Hard had as guest Mr. Charles A. Jones, secretary of the Tax Commission of the state of Ohio. Mr. Jones was a classmate of W. D. Gilliland at the Ohio Wesleyan University.

A. L. Hammel, proprietor of the New Idea Clothing store, spent Sunday at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. Edelson, in Ironton. All three of the children in the Edelson household are suffering with measles.

Miss Winnie Leive, deputy auditor, spent Sunday with home folks at South Webster.

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Miss Frances Dalmert of Washington street, will be one of the attendants at the wedding of Frank Wallburg, a prominent young insurance agent, and Miss Mary Galeese, which will be solemnized on June 16th at Middletown, the home of both. Miss Galeese was a roommate of Miss Balmert at Mt. Notre Dame Academy, near Cincinnati, from which institution both are graduated. The ceremony will be performed at the Holy Trinity Catholic church in Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Mooter, of Third street, expect to go to Columbus Tuesday for a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Norma Meyer is visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. Edelson at Ashland, Ky.

Mrs. George Martin and two daughters, Eloise and Bernice, will leave Tuesday for Kansas City, where they will make an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. Jessie Kenealey and Miss Anna Laura Mitchell are moving from Sinton street to the Cotton property, 710 Sixth street, and will reside in the downstairs flat.

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POLICE RAID A CRAP GAME

Officers Callahan Smith and Theo. Branham raided a crap game at the home of Sam Boyer, an aged negro, near Sixteenth and Kinney streets, Sunday noon.

Men caught in the drag-net gave the names of Boyer, Alex Davis, Ed Conners and Henry Richardson, negroes, and John Jackson and George Salters, white, both of whom money were found on the floor by the officers, who had been shadowing the house. It was claimed that Boyer was acting as look-out, but as a freight train was passing he stepped back into the house and the officers, unobserved, followed him into the place. Several succeeded in giving bond and were released.

It was at Boyer's home that W. A. Ellsworth, former N. & W. detective, came to grief some months ago. He had gone there under the pretense of shadowing coal thieves when John Cooper, white, surprised him in company with his wife, causing his arrest. He was convicted in police court of disorderly conduct and later lost his position. The Coopers immediately separated.

Boyer was fined $25 and costs for permitting his home to be used for gambling purposes, while the others were let off with $10 and costs each.

Rev. Louis Tieman To Deliver Address

Rev. Louis A. Tieman, pastor of St. Rose's church, Cincinnati, Ohio, one of the most popular and eloquent clergymen of the Cincinnati Diocese, will be the orator at Holy Redeemer School Commencement exercises, which will take place in the High School Auditorium Wednesday, June 2nd.

The school children, who are preparing to give one of the best kind of entertainments, kindly appeal to all the members of Holy Redeemer church and their many friends to give them the assistance of their generous patronage. Tickets are now on sale.

Next Sunday, May 23rd, being Pentecost Sunday, is the day set by the Bishops of the United States for taking up the annual collection from both clergy and laity for the education of young men for the Catholic priesthood.

Yesterday afternoon, at Vesper service, the first communicants were invested by the pastor, with the scapular, in other words, were especially placed under the tender guardianship of the Blessed Virgin.

Four young women were also received into the Young Ladies' Sodality.

REMOVAL

The law offices of J. P. Purdum have been moved to rooms 301-304 Masonic Temple. Home phone No. 6, Bell phone 247. tf

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MR. STATEN STRICKEN

George Staten, of Ninth street, was stricken with paralysis late Sunday night and is in a serious condition, his entire left side being affected. He was up and, around Sunday as usual, and attended the Republican banquet Saturday night.

Dental Society Met Today

Members of the Southern Ohio Dental Society, to the number of about forty, are enjoying an outing today at the W. D. Tremper bungalow, on the West Side. A short business session was held this morning, but the greater part of the day was devoted to pleasure. A big dinner was served by the host at the noon hour, which was one of the most enjoyable features of the day. Dentists from Scioto, Pike, Jackson, Lawrence and Adams counties are in attendance.

OWLS TO HAVE SOCIAL SESSION

An enjoyable social session will follow the regular weekly meeting of the Order of Owls, which will be held at its hall this evening. A large attendance of the members is desired, as business of importance is to come up for discussion. Among other things, the contract for the Greater Sheesley Shows for some time in August will likely be closed, while the lodge will take action on the invitation of the Sons of Veterans to join with them in the observance of the patriotic program on Thursday evening, May 20th.

No Action Taken On Plumbers' Dispute

Another mass meeting of the allied craft in the Building Trades Council was held Sunday afternoon at the Central Labor Council hall to discuss the merits of the controversy between the master and journeymen plumbers. Over one hundred men attended the meeting, which lasted almost two hours.

Harry Strong, the business agent, announced after the meeting, that there was nothing official to give out regarding the meeting, but he stated that the matter was discussed from every angle. It being Sunday, the council could not take a vote on the proposition, the by-laws of the organization prohibiting any action on Sunday.

SUNDAY TO BE EVENTFUL DAY AT ST. MARY'S

Next Sunday will be an eventful day at St. Mary's church. A class of twenty-five children, 17 boys and 8 girls, will make their first holy communion at High mass, which will be celebrated at 7:30 o'clock. A low mass will follow at 10 o'clock. At 7:30 in the evening will take place the crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary and following this impressive ceremony the first communicants will renew their baptismal vows and be invested with the Scapular.

The communion class is composed of the following children: Ralph Billman, Sylvester Berk, Harold Debo, Robert Hurth, George Haley, Harold Lanter, Leo Lyons, Gilbert Osborn, Marcus Reitz, Albert Reinhart, John Switalski, James Smith, Philip Schillinger, Carl Teschner, Irving Welty, David Worts and Norbert Yuenger; Marie Beaumont, Catherine Beaumont, Martha Davidson, Emma Horniekel, Elizabeth Lang, Alma Lyons, Rosalie Maier and Agnes Orlett.

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Rev. Marting In Batesville

Rev. Albert Marting, of the Fourth Stret M. E. church, left Monday morning for Batesville, Ind., to attend the Cincinnati District meeting of the German Methodist Conference.

Rev. Marting has been secretary of the Cincinnati district for several years. His daughter, Mary Marting, accompanied hi mand she will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Unewehr.

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SOCIETY

A happy group of young girls met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mary Schuler, on Second street, where they organized a sewing club, to be called the Y. M. S. C. After playing various games and sewing, the young hostess was assisted by her mother Mrs. John Schuler, in serving refreshments. Those present were Genevieve Thoman, Celena Goodman, Anna Goodman, Mildred Schrieck, Ruth Schuler, Dorothy Butler, Gertrude Kirby, Julia and Alma Russell. The officers were as follows:

President—Anna Goodman.
Vice-President—Celena Goodman.
Secretary and Treasurer—Alma Russell.

The next meeting will be held next Saturday at the home of Genevieve Thoman.

The Relief Fund Society of the German Evangelical church will hold a Kensington Wednesday afternoon in the Sunday school room. All members have the privilege of inviting guests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Sowers and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rathburn, of Columbus, who motored to Portsmouth Friday for a week-end visit with Mrs. H. S. Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Taylor, returned home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor accompanied their guests as far as Chillicothe, where the party had supper at the Warner House.

The returns of the Social Whirls for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp are very gratifying. The ladies who do not care to entertain are all paying their $1.10. In the last round of whirls, on or near the 28th of May, there will be a number of evening parties, to which the men will be invited and they are requested to come and bring their $1.10.

Miss Erma Jenkins, who came home to attend the class play, left yesterday to resume her studies at the O. W. U.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Wilson, on Highland avenue.

The house committee of the Y. W. C. A. are very much in need of two rugs. Anyone having a rug to donate or old body brussels carpet, please notify Mrs. Irving Drew, 250. The committee has some carpet, but not enough to make rugs and they would be glad to get more carpet so that rugs could be made for the rooms in need of them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coverston went to Delaware yesterday to bring home from the O. W. U. their daughter, Miss Alma Coverston, who is ill.

The Young Woman's Missionary Society of the Fourth Street Methodist church will be entertained this evening at the home of Miss Dollie Blomeyer, on Seventh street. Mrs. George Carroll and Mrs. Carl Boehmker will be the assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Joseph Micklethwait and Miss Grace Gynan will entertain with a garden party Saturday afternoon at Miss Gynan's home for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp.

Mrs. W. H. McCurdy's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ernest Kidd, on Robinson avenue.

Misses Stella Shope, Stella, Blanche, Bertha and Edith Cooper motored to Henley yesterday with Mr. Otto Blackburn and Miss Ethel Blackburn and spent the day with Mrs. John Shope, mother of Miss Stella Shope.

A rehearsal of "The Scientific School" will be held this evening at Trinity Methodist church. They are being coached by Miss Katherine Dawson. The play will be presented on the evening of May 27th.

The Manly Ladies' Aid Society will meet Wednesday, instead of Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J. D. Jordan, 1601 Eleventh street.

Miss Fannie Ettering, of Scioto-ville, has returned home after attending the commencement exercises at Portsmouth, Saturday, and spending Saturday and Sunday with Miss Helen Knost.

USE COCOANUT OIL FOR WASHING HAIR

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, the less soap you use the better.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

The Movies

All Feature Week at the Lyric

Every day is a good show day at the Lyric this week. Robert Warwick, the famous actor, makes his first appearance in "The Man of the Hour" today, a Shubert-Brady feature that will satisfy the most exacting of patrons. It's a great big American drama alive with tense, interesting action, stirring scenes, splendid settings and costumes—it's a masterpiece. Tomorrow brings a great favorite in John Barrymore with a star cast in that famous side-splitting comedy, "Are You a Mason." You will laugh your ribs loose at this picture, remember its the "Paramount for Tuesday" and then on Wednesday we have with us again the darling of them all, "Marguerite Clark," in "The Crucible." This is a return engagement, "The Crucible" made such a big hit before and so many people have asked to see it again, that Manager Mack decided to bring it back.

Charlie Chaplin is here again on Thursday in a two-reel comedy scream called "His Trysting Places", and on Thursday also will be shown a two-reel Lubin feature with Ethel Clayton, called "The Unmarried Husband". It's a splendid society drama—these two pictures will make a great show on this day.

Friday's show is a Broadway Star Feature "Between The Two of them," and on Saturday comes the great Essanay three-reel feature, "Frauds", a romantic drama featuring clever Edna Mayo and Bryant Washburn. This is one of the best three-reel productions of the year.

At The Exhibit

"On The Brink of the Abyss" is a two reel feature that is being offered as the headliner at the Exhibit tonight. Sidney Bracy, Frank Farrington, Minnie Berlin compose the strong cast who are presenting this wonderful social drama. "Your Baby and Mine" is an interesting Reliance picture that is also included in the program. Then there is also special music by the orchestra. Tuesday will be Keystone day and a big program of Keystone goods will be offered. Wednesday will be Renfax Day with the celebrated musical motion pictures shown.

At The Scenic

For tonight the Scenic is offering its patrons the Lubin three part feature "The Attorney For Defense". This is one of the best features that Lubin ever produced. It is a drama of intense heart interest, one that touches every human emotion. In addition to the feature "The Victor" a clever Essannay comedy with Wallace Beery will also be shown. This is an exceptionally good program, one you should not miss seeing. Tomorrow's feature will be "The Vision of the Shepherd" a two part Selig feature with everybody's favorite "Kathlyn Williams" in the leading role.

Beverly Bayne and Lillian Walker—Columbia Tonight

It is not very often that you have an opportunity to see two popular motion picture stars from two different companies on the same program, but such is the case at the Columbia this evening where you can see Beverly Bayne, that fascinating little star from the Essanay Company in a most interesting two-part picture story entitled "The Conspiracy at the Chateau". You can also see Lillian Walker, one of the most popular of all the Vitagraph stars in "The Guttersnipe", a very interesting story of a waif, who finally achieves fortune and position in life.

Tomorrow, Tuesday, Manager Tynes announces one of the very best of three-reel pictures in "The Stoning", featuring Viola Dana, one of Broadway's latest and most popular young stars.

At The Arcana

Mary Fuller, one of the favorites of the moving picture world who has a legion of friends right here in Portsmouth is the attraction at the Arcana tonight. She is taking the leading role in a big three reel Victor feature entitled "Mary's Duke." It is a big whole-souled society drama that is entertaining all the way through. Tomorrow's bill will be headed by "The Menace" a two reel feature with Cleo Madison starring.

5c At Temple Theatre

"Molly of the Mountains" is the big program at the Temple theatre tonight. It's a simple story that goes straight to the heart and will prove that a picture doesn't have to be several reels long to be a real feature. Molly is the daughter of a moonshiner, played by Rhea Mitchell and Frank Borzage. Our third is entitled, "Once Over," wherein a practical joker got his, and the fourth reel, "The Primitive Spirit," shows how mildness pleaded but force compelled, played by Claire Anderson and William Hinckley.

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$1.00 and $2.00 values in 36 to 40 inch fancy weave Crepes, Brocades, Stripe Messaline, etc. that are all silk and extra good qualities too. Your choice of this assortment Tuesday only at
79c yard

60 pieces of All Wool Dress Fabrics, worth $1.00 and $1.25 go on sale Tuesday only at
69c Yd.

40 to 48 inches wide, Blue, Black, Tan, Brown, Green, Copenhagen, etc. Most of them are spring fabrics that we are going to close out in order to make room for summer materials.
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Aggregate amount of available assets	$1,394,071.67
Aggregate amount of liabilities (except capital), including re-insurance and special accumulations	978,008.55
General Surplus on policy-holders' account	416,063.12
Capital Stock,	200,000.00
Amount of Income for the year	3,497,482.65
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In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused my Official Seal to be affixed, the day and year first above written.

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Superintendent of Insurance

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BIG SOCIETY DRAMA
Your Baby and Mine
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TO-MORROW
Keystone Day

U. S. CRUISER IS TO STOP RIOTS

San Diego, Cal., May 17.—The cruiser Colorado, flagship of the Pacific fleet, carrying an expeditionary force of marines and a machine gun for their use sailed for Mexican waters yesterday afternoon to aid if necessary American colonists in Sonora who have been fighting Yaqui Indians.

LETTERS HINT JOHN D. CONTROLLED GOVERNOR

Washington, May 17.—Correspondence between John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Ivy L. Lee, assistant to the president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, relating to the "broad educative campaign of publicity", conducted by Mr. Lee for Mr. Rockefeller in connection with the Colorado coal strike, was made public today by the federal commission on industrial relations. The letters include those which Chairman Walsh of the commission claimed proves that a letter written to President Wilson by Governor Ammons of Colorado, was prepared under the direction of Mr. Rockefeller. They will be the basis for the examination of the latter when he resumes the stand before the commission here Tuesday.

The correspondence, which covers the period from June 1, 1914, to August 5, 1914, contains several references to Governor Ammons. After Mr. Lee and Mr. Rockefeller had agreed upon a plan for the distribution of a series of bulletins designed to "clarify the public mind" as to the Colorado situation, Mr. Rockefeller wrote to Mr. Lee that he had prepared a memorandum in reply to magazine statements and letters attacking the Colorado coal companies, but had decided not to make it public. He forwarded the memorandum to Mr. Lee and wrote:

"Several points in my memorandum, however, could well even more appropriately be used in the letter from Governor Ammons to President Wilson which you are proposing to prepare as soon as the major's memorandum reaches you, which I hope will be very shortly."

The only major referred to in the correspondence is Major Boughton. (Major E. J. Boughton is judge advocate of the Colorado militia.)

FOR SALE

Saturday, June fifth, at one p. m., at door of court house, fine residence property, 1319 Park avenue. Sale made because owners leaving city. Proper parties may arrange to retain present building association loan. For full particulars inquire of Bannon & Bannon, attorneys. adv
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BARNES TAKES STAND AGAIN

Syracuse, N. Y., May 17.—William Barnes resumed the witness stand in the supreme court here today to submit to further cross examination at the hands of John M. Bowers, chief consul for Theodore Roosevelt. He followed to the stand a number of former members of the state legislature who gave testimony regarding the deadlock of 1911 over the election of a United States senator.

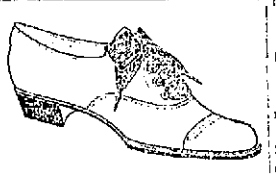
One of these witnesses, William Keyes, said he talked with Mr. Barnes about the senatorial situation and quoted Mr. Barnes as saying it would be a good idea if the Republicans will stand with the Democratic insurgents to elect an independent Democrat. Several other former legislators gave testimony of a similar nature. Among them was Eugene M. Travis, state comptroller and formerly a state senator.

LONDON STRIKE STOPS TRAFFIC

London, May 17.—With the exception of an occasional car London today is without street car service. Virtually all the drivers and conductors of the London county municipal railway street car system now out on strike having taken a pledge not to return to work until a permanent increase in pay and not merely a war bonus is granted.

So many motor omnibuses have been commandeered for war purposes that the strike throws undue strain on the electric and other railroads which with difficulty are handling the millions of workers who enter and leave London morning and evening.

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Big Real Estate Deal Means Many New Homes In City

What was probably the largest real estate deal ever completed in the city was formally closed Monday when Filmore Musser, cashier of the Ohio Valley bank, came into possession of W. A. Cissna's property in the north end. It comprises 25 acres and the sale price is said to have been around $100,000.

Immediately after all negotiations, providing for the transfer of the valuable property was made, Mr. Musser announced that the property would be graded and improved and that possibly 25 modern homes would be erected on the property this year.

"There is room for 100 houses on this strip of ground, but this many will not go up on it this year," said Mr. Musser Monday.

The ground, which changed hands today, begins at the Bannon line west, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets and between the Tremper property and the Chillicothe pike and from Seventeenth street to Kinney's Lane.

The Hilltop street car line runs through one corner of the property. The tract will afford splendid sites for moderate built homes.

Mr. Cissna has been in the city for several days and with his return to the Queen City it was announced that every little feature of the important deal had been closed.

The ground for the past few years has been used as a circus lot and is located right along the west side of the Findlay street car line. Mr. Musser stated Monday that the work of grading the property and putting it in shape for the erection of homes, would be commenced right away.

Sporting Suit.



A sports suit of white serge, the short skirt given additional fulness by a pleat in the back, is shown above. The hip length jacket flares below the waist line. A big turn-over collar and trimming of white pearl buttons lend a cute note.

EXPECT GERMAN CRUISER SOON

Norfolk, May 17.—Unverified reports, which could not be traced to any responsible source, were current again today that the German cruiser Karlsruhe was coming up the ten-mile channel used by the German raiders, Kron Prinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Forederich to a haven of safety at Hampton Roads.

No warship of any kind passed in the Virginia Capes during the night however, and up until just before noon today none was visible at sea from the observatory at Cape Henry.

Roof Blaze

Seventh street department firemen were called to the home of J. E. Melcher, 1520 Tenth street, Sunday afternoon, about two o'clock, to extinguish a blaze on the roof of the house. The firemen put out the flames with buckets of water. Damage is estimated at $5. Sparks from the chimney responsible.

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Alligators' Eggs Edible.

Alligators' eggs are eaten in the West India islands and on the west coast of Africa. They resemble in shape a hen's egg, and have much the same taste, but are larger. More than a hundred eggs have been found in one alligator.

NOTED ENGLISHMAN DIES

Geneva, May 17.—Joseph Sochmatter, known as the "Englishman's guide," has just died, aged 43. He was well-known to hundreds of English and American Alpinists. Sochmatter's father and brother were killed on the Dent Blanche in 1882 and he continued the family reputation of having the best guides in the world.

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Prizes on display at Zoellner's jewelry store, Third and Chillicothe streets.

Tickets may be secured for the contest from E. K. S. Clinkenbeard, Chalmer Davis, H. Stanley McCall, Orin Oakes or Karl Zoellner.

AUSPICES B. P. O. E.

Musical Program Tomorrow Night

An attractive event of the week in local music circles will be the musical recital at the Second Presbyterian church Tuesday, May 18 under the direction of Mr. L. W. Bragdon who will be assisted by two of our most talent and fascinating readers, Misses Katherine Dawson and Miss Salome Augustin, both pupils of Mrs. Helen Mersh Shuster Martin of the Shuster school, Cincinnati.

This recital is given for the benefit of the Day Nursery. There will be no charge for admittance, but a silver offering will be taken.

The Day Nursery is badly needed in Portsmouth and it is sure this will afford an opportunity for all to serve together and will strengthen the bonds of brotherliness between all whose ideal is: "He who went about everywhere doing good."

Following is the program:

Onward Christian Soldier (Fuller)—Chorus.

Hosanna (Granier).

Solo — Mrs. Norma Harek Young.

Short talk (Subject selected)—Rev. T. H. McAfee.

Inflammatus (From the Stabat Mater)—Rossini.

Soloist, Miss Gertrude Schmidt—Chorus.

Solo—J. Adam Burkel.

Reading (Scene from Helen's Babies by John Haberton)—Miss Salome Augustin.

Solo—(Selected)—Miss Bertha Staiger.

Unfold Ye Portals (From the Redemption: Gounod)—Chorus.

Hark, Hark My Soul—Shelley.

Duet—Mrs. H. C. Bugh, Mrs. Clarence Nedler.

Sanctus—Chorus; soloist, Mrs. Norma Harek Young.

Hallelujah (Handel)—Chorus.

Mrs. Phil S. Wickerham, organist; Miss Alice Blake, violin; Mrs. Albert L. Wilhelm, violin; Mrs. Jos. Micklethwaite, violin.

Mixed chorus: Sopranos—Mrs. Norma Harek Young, Miss Gertrude Schmidt, Miss Bertha Staiger, Miss Pauline Wilhelm, Miss Jean Bertram.

Tenors—Messrs. Fred Lorey James Yeley, Chas. M. Chick, Harry S. Boyd.

Contraltos—Mrs. Clarence E. Nedler, Mrs. Fred Lorey, Miss Pearl Monaghan, Miss Edwards.

Basses—J. Adam Burkel, John N. Davis, Talmadge Edwards, Phil S. Wickerham.

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WILSON SEES LARGE FLEET

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president on the bridge, passed them during the afternoon.

A sharp rain spattered the navy uniforms of the sailors with mud as they swung into parade formation shortly after 10 o'clock and headed north on Fifth Avenue for the reviewing stand in front of the library building, 41st and 42nd streets.

President Wilson left the Mayflower in a launch and came ashore at the foot of West 41st street at 10:15 o'clock. He was accompanied by acting Mayor McAneny and W. Duncan Butler, vice chairman of the citizens committee, which he had invited aboard the Mayflower. As he entered an automobile to drive to the reviewing stand the two troops of mounted police who had escorted Mr. McAneny to the pier, started their horses in a canter. As they clattered over the cobble stones, 200 strong, other mounted police took their station behind the automobile in which the president rode and escorted him during the short ride. The president rode between thousands of persons lining the sidewalks who cheered and roared a noisy welcome.

A few minutes after the president had reached the stand the head of the parading line came into view. A battalion of mounted police preceded the marchers. Next came the marine corps band, then the marines themselves, clad in dark blue jackets with light blue trousers and then the regiments of sailors.

As each detachment passed the president was saluted. Throughout the parade the president stood, silk-hatted, intent on the spectacle, serious of face except when the passing of the mascots from the various battleships drew ripples of laughter from the crowd.

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REV. MARTING PREACHES BACCALAUREATE SERMON

The Wheelersburg M. E. church was crowded Sunday evening when Rev. Albert Marting of the Fourth Street M. E. church, city, delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the twelve graduates of the Wheelersburg high school.

Rev. Marting chose as his subject for the occasion "Thoughts and Their Capture." The sermon throughout was filled with helpful words of advice to the students entering upon life's work. The graduates and large congregation were more than pleased with Rev. Marting's sermon.

The class of twelve graduates this year is the largest to leave Wheelersburg high school. The graduates are: Raymond Gleim, McKinley Sauer, Louis Smith, Anna Miller, Marie Janes, John Sauer, John Oakes, Clara Cranston, Nell Griver, Averill Hunsinger, Hazel Fritz and Evelyn Hunsinger.

The graduates will receive their diplomas at the commencement exercises on Friday, May 21.



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REPUBLICAN BANQUET WAS SPLENDID SUCCESS



Leaders Of Party In State Present; Everything Worked Out In Fine Shape

Republican leaders of national and state prominence joined with Scioto county Republicans Saturday evening in the celebration of the party's successes in state, district and county elections last fall, at a big "get together" banquet held in this city.

A more distinguished gathering of Republican stalwarts than those who were seated around the banquet tables at Kendall hall probably never gathered before in Peerless Portsmouth.

Foremost among the distinguished visitors were Governor Frank B. Willis and United States Senator Warren G. Harding while a score of more of notables accompanied them to the feast. Among them were Lieutenant-Governor Jack Arnold; State Treasurer Rudolph W. Archer, Harry M. Daugherty, former chairman of the state committee and the present chairman, Edwin Jones, Congressman Robert Switzer, Former Congressmen Lucien J. Fenton and Henry T. Bannon, Harry Hall, superintendent of the state banking department, Charles A. Jones, secretary of the State Tax Commission, Homer Edwards, executive clerk to the Governor, Senator W. D. Tremper, and Representative W. R. Sprague, the last two named being Scioto county's representatives to the General Assembly.

Visitors From Other Counties

Neighboring counties sent their district leaders to the banquet in large numbers, and every ward and precinct in Scioto county was represented by its loyal workers. A representative gathering of Portsmouth's business and professional men whose political opinions coincide with the principles advocated by the Republican party were numbered among the banqueters. The aggregate number seated about the tables exceeded five hundred.

Past Masters in the art of decorating and designing had transformed the hall into a scene of exquisite beauty, and the admiration which it excited was not lessened in a single eye that feasted upon it throughout the evening.

While the strains of pleasing music was being wafted into the ears of the diners, their palates were lusting of a sumptuous feast, prepared and served in commendable fashion by Caterer Jacob Pfau and his capable corps of waiters and assistants.

After the feast of good things to eat came the feast of oratory, with the Governor of the state and its Junior Senator in the roles of chief orators, followed by the lesser lights with brief addresses, it being far past the midnight hour when the throng departed.

Governor Willis, in his first public utterance on the subject since the legislature convened last January, presented his brief to the people of Ohio of the legislative accomplishments of the present General Assembly, now approaching the close of its long and tedious session.

Coming as it did near the close of the session, Governor Willis' utterances were lent added weight from the fact that he was speaking as the recognized head of the party in power in the state, into whose hands will be entrusted the administration of the measures enacted into laws.

Redemption of the Republican party's pledges to the people of Ohio last fall and the return of power into the hands of the people characterized the measures which had been passed as a part of the party's legislative program, according to the Governor.

Says G. O. P. Has Made Good

He emphatically declared that "the Republican party had made good", and challenged his political opponents to contradict his statement. He further assured his hearers that the legislature would not adjourn until every pledge and promise of the party had been fulfilled.

Senator Harding's address, which was a carefully prepared one, was a political utterance strictly, and dealt largely with national issues and was calculated to define the party's position in the big political conflict which will be waged between the two dominant parties next year. It was in a large measure, a repetition of his speech at Boston, delivered a few days since.

The reception tendered Governor Willis and Senator Harding as they arose to speak was so spontaneous and cordial that it left no doubt as to the high esteem in which they are held by the Republican leaders in this section of the state. None the less cordial was the greeting accorded the speakers who followed them, and the feeling of pleasurable appreciation that was reflected in their faces as they essayed to speak appeared as genuine as the sentiment that prompted it.

As previously stated, Governor Willis entered into a detailed discussion of the activities of the legislature, besides mentioning the obstacles and hindrances under which he claimed it worked. He scored the partisan press of the state which he claimed criticised and sought to discredit the present administration without justification, and lauded the members of the legislature who had remained steadfast to their party obligations.

The Governor condoned his activities in matters of legislation during the latter part of the session by saying that the people looked to him to carry out the changes desired in those laws enacted during the former administration, and added that his was the influence of a friend and advisor, and not that of an autocratic boss. He also added that the closing days were marked by harmony between the executive and legislative departments of the state government, that everything was lovely, and "the goose hangs high."

The speeches of Governor Willis and Senator Harding appear in full in this issue, both speakers following closely the drafts of their prepared speeches.

Two Honored Men Preside

The after-dinner ceremonies were opened by the chairman of the evening, Judge James W. Bannon, who in a few well chosen words introduced the toastmaster, Dr. P. J. Kline, as a stalwart Republican, a cultured gentleman and a companionable one, and lastly as a veteran of the Civil War who had marched with Sherman in his victorious advance from Atlanta to the sea.

Dr. Kline was tendered a tremendous ovation as he assumed charge of the program. He expressed his appreciation of the high honor that had been conferred upon him, and congratulated the Republican party of Scioto county on its substantial victory at the polls last November. In closing, he stated that the gathering present presaged another overwhelming victory in the state and nation next fall, and urged all loyal Republicans to enlist in the coming campaign.

Dr. Kline presided throughout the evening with dignity and stately bearing, and his introduction of the speakers paved the way for their cordial reception.

Members of the reception committee met Governor Willis and his party from Columbus at the evening train in automobiles, in which they were conveyed direct to the hall. Upon their arrival, they were tendered an informal reception before the banquet, during which they met and shook hands with the local party workers.

Informality marked the entire evening, and the distinguished visitors mingled with the banqueters, during the intermissions.

Cheers Greet The Governor

A tumult of cheering resounded through the hall when Dr. P. J. Kline introduced Governor Frank B. Willis as the first speaker of the evening. Every one present arose, with waving arms and applauding hands, tendered the Governor a reception, the cordiality of which could not have been mistaken as other than genuine. It was some time before the applause subsided sufficient to permit the Governor to speak. Smiling broadly, the Governor made no effort to conceal the pleasure which the spontaneous outburst of welcome gave him, and it lifted the feeling of fatigue and weariness from loss of sleep occasioned by hard work during the past few days, which had been apparent in the face during the early hours.

Before starting upon his speech the Governor was moved to acknowledge the honors which had been showered upon him by his Scioto county admirers, while the patriotic decorations which beset his eye at all sides prompted a short impromptu, patriotic address, which was punctuated with cheering. At the outset, he said:

"I would not, if I could, repress an expression of gratitude for the cordiality of my welcome here this evening. But I realize that this splendid meeting was not brought together because of interest in any speaker or individual. You Republicans are here because you are interested in the success of the principles of the Republican party and the domination of those principles in the affairs of this nation.

"I first want to express my sincere appreciation to the person or persons who conceived this splendid meeting. It means much, not only to the Republicans of Scioto county, and of the state of Ohio, but to the Republicans of the whole country. It is the first of a series of get together meetings all over the country that means Republican success in 1916.

"And right here I want to say, that never in my experience of attending banquets have I seen such beautiful decorations. They are, indeed, the best I have ever seen. And it is entirely fitting and proper that the American flag and our national colors are the predominate note in the decorations.

"This is not simply a Republican meeting. It is a patriotic meeting. And let me digress a moment from what I had intended to say this evening, to add:

Uphold The President

"That there is not in this meeting a single individual but whose soul is impugned with patriotic principles. Never was there a time in the history of this country when we should keep our heads, reserve judgment, and not be swept away by temporary gusts of passion.

"I am a Republican, and I take it that every one present is of the same political faith. But I am sure that every Republican in Ohio is willing to uphold the hands of President Wilson in his efforts to keep this country out of war. It is well, at this time, that the American flag should predominate in our decorations."

Here, Governor Willis recited an eulogy to Old Glory that was greeted with thunderous applause.

His introductory remarks, ended, Governor Willis then concerned himself with his address on the legislative accomplishments of the present General Assembly now approaching the close of its work, his first public utterance on the subject, and one, not only addressed to his listeners, but to the people of the entire state.

He said:

To Redeem Party Pledge

"The majority of this legislature was fighting to redeem the party pledge to the return of constitutional government instead of dictation by an autocratic boss. These pledges have been crystalized into laws and will be put into effect by the administrative part of the state government. We have delivered the goods.

"Early in February a committee was selected, with the Democratic state chairman at its head, to make a continuous campaign against the present administration. Instructions were issued to those in charge of this movement —instructions, part of which were printed in the newspapers of that day—to the effect that this organization was to resist to the utmost any change in the laws enacted by the previous General Assembly—the laws which give the governor control of all appointments and the expenditure of every dollar of the lump sums appropriated by the legislature. It is reported on very reliable authority that nearly $11,000.00 was raised to support a press bureau to create public sentiment against the repeal of any of these laws, which fixed the late governor's friends substantially in many of the thousands of places on the state's payroll. Every effort was to be made to discredit the present Republican administration. Mr. Finley and the editor of Governor Cox's Dayton paper have maintained offices in Columbus from which the press matter is sent and from which the Democratic members of the legislature have been directed in their efforts to defeat the bills providing for carrying out platform pledges of the Republican party and returning to the people the rights taken from them under former autocratic rule.

Gives Legislature Credit

"And it is to that legislature that I want to give the credit for the return of the power to the people. And right here let me say that if every county in the state had been represented like Scioto county, we would not have had to make the fight we did to redeem the party pledges. Too much praise can not be given Senator W. D. Tremper and Representative W. R. Sprague, and I congratulate you on your representatives. You always knew where they stood, and they have delivered the goods.

"It is reported from an authentic source that 164 newspapers are supplied regularly with ready to print matter sent out gratuitously by this bureau—an expense for publicity never before attempted by any organization except in the height of campaign time.

"As soon as this conspiracy was fully planned and operations were begun, Mr. Finley's lieutenants, whose shortcomings as state officials were exposed by the legislative investigating committee, began to cry "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

"Some of the radical distillers and brewers who feared a Republican General Assembly's actions, cried: "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

"The Democratic minority in the assembly, whose party management was shown up in a bad light by legislative investigations, cried, "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

"Hostile newspapers, seeing the methods of the former administration exposed, cried; "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

Thousands of Democratic machine heads, under a fureical civil service, fearing a dislodgment by legislation cried, "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

"Radicals who secured the enactment of some of the 87 varieties which might be repealed cried "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

"Those fearing examination in departments not yet cleaned by the investigators, cried. "Go home! You're costing $3,000 a day!"

"Subsequently they raised the amount to $1,000 a day, although the cost actually is little over $1,000 a day—and the general assembly, at work to carry into effect the righteous program placed in its hands at the ballot box, is worth all it costs.

Will Fulfill All Pledges

"The legislature has not adjourned, nor will it adjourn until its last pledge to the people is fulfilled. I cannot believe that our Democratic friends can be seriously concerned about the length of the session when our president for a similar purpose kept congress in session continuously for two years.

"The legislature did not go home, and the next move was to raise a persistent demand for so-called "constructive" legislation. It has been incidently interesting to watch this demand. The word "constructive", in this connection seems to vary with the political attitude of the speaker.

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Senator Harding Had A Busy Time

United States Senator Warren G. Harding spent an exceedingly busy day in Portsmouth Sunday from the time he arose until he left the city Sunday afternoon.

Early Sunday morning, he and his wife accompanied their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard, to the Trinity M. E. Sunday School, where Senator Harding later made a twenty minute address before the combined men's classes of Prof. J. H. Finney, Charles E. Hard, John T. Breese and M. W. Brown, in the basement room of the church. The address was a telling one, and was greatly enjoyed by his auditors, who numbered over three hundred.

A short time later, Senator Harding made a ten minutes address before the entire Sunday School in the main church auditorium, which was also a gem.

After the Subbath School, Senator and Mrs. Harding and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard quietly walked into the First Baptist church services, the Senator and his wife being worshipers of that faith. No notice of their coming had preceded them, and few in the audience knew that a United States senator was worshipping with them. Before the close of the service, however, Dr. T. H. McAfee spied the distinguished visitors and just before he dismissed the service, called upon his congregation to greet them. The Senator and his wife were given an informal reception at the close of the service, the congregation passing around to shake hands with them.

After church, they went to the home of Mark W. Selby of Fourth street, where they were entertained at dinner. The Senator's secretary, Geo. B. Christian, was entertained at the Selby home during his entire stay.

Early in the afternoon, Senator Harding, his wife and secretary, and Edwin Jones and Elmer Sell of Jackson left in the Senator's automobile, for Jackson, where the Senator planned to stop for a few minutes. Later, he intended to proceed on to Marietta, where he is scheduled for an address today before the Chamber of Commerce.

During his stay here, Senator Harding and wife were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hard, of Franklin avenue. They were the guests of honor at a six o'clock dinner held Saturday evening at the Hard home. The other guests were Edwin Jones of Jackson, George D. Selby, Levi D. York, Philo S. Clark and F. W. Meyers.

GOVERNOR'S CHAUFFEUR

Unquestionably the proudest boy in Portsmouth Sunday was Louis, son of Attorney and Mrs. Henry T. Bannon. Louis drove Governor Frank B. Willis and distinguished party to Chillicothe, Sunday, without a skip. Louis handled the Bannon touring car like a skilled chauffeur and landed the party in splendid shape, the Governor complimenting the youthful chauffeur in extravagant terms.

GOVERNOR WILLIS LEFT IN AUTOMOBILE

Governor Willis left Portsmouth Sunday morning in Henry T. Bannon's automobile for Chillicothe, where he boarded a Scioto Valley traction car for Columbus. A long, roundabout way was chosen, the Governor having expressed a desire to see as much as possible of Scioto and Pike counties.

Two automobiles, containing five men each, made the trip. The party left the Washington hotel at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and went from here to Scintoville, where they took the road for Dixon's Mills and Harrisonville, passing through Little California and the Beaver valley to Waverly. From Waverly the machines continued direct to Chillicothe, where the entire party took dinner at the Warner House. Governor Willis and the other visitors in the party boarded the traction car at two o'clock.

In the party were Governor Willis, George H. Jones, a lawyer, of Columbus, Dr. P. W. Young, Henry T. Bannon and son, Louis, in the Bannon car and Harry M. Daugherty, Harry Hall, state banking superintendent, Roy McElhaney, F. W. Meyers and John Eckhart in the Eckhart car.

BANQUET

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With some papers almost everything that this administration has attempted to do has been "ripper" legislation. When there was any bill to reduce the power of the governor, to reduce the number of employees; to lessen salaries, or to return rights to the people, this bill was a "ripper" bill. If, however, two years ago a law was enacted which constructed a personal political machine through government by commissions, which put the political workers of the machine builder in all the offices after increasing the number of places, and attached them permanently to the state's payroll, this legislation was considered by these critics highly "constructive."

"With these words as used uppermost in the minds of the readers of the press favorable to the last administration it has been a little difficult at times for the present legislature to continue at the task set before it, and remain indifferent to the misinterpretations thus aroused in the public mind. But quietly, this legislature has pursued the mission set before it. That mission was to rip autocracy; to bring an end to much of the extravagance in state administration; to give back to the people many of the rights which had been taken from them. In less time than was consumed by its Democratic predecessor, the present legislature has completed much of its progress regardless of the stringent cries of those caught under the searchlight of its investigations, or discomfited by the enactment of laws that ran counter to their selfish personal interests.

The New Tax Law

"The clearest command, perhaps, of all those given by the voters at the polls last November, related to the centralized tax law, enacted as the so-called Warnes law, which took from the people the right to select tax assessors and placed 2066 jobs at the disposal of the governor. The Parrett-Whittemore bill to carry out the will of the people in this regard is now upon the statute books and will become effective at the end of the 90 day period provided for the referendum. This bill restores to the people the very essential principle of local control and still preserves all the desirable qualities for the state control of uniformity and honesty in the assessment of property for purposes of taxation.

"I think it worth while to call your attention to the fact that if it had not been for the obstructive tactics of the Democratic minority in the House, the Warnes law would now have been upon the statute books so far as the assessment this spring is concerned. We proposed to give at once the taxation machinery in the various counties into the hands of the county auditors. We would thus have saved half a million dollars of useless expense if the Heitler bill had been permitted to become a law, but we could not muster the necessary two-thirds vote because State Chairman Finley refused to permit the Democratic members to vote as they wished to do.

"It is significant that there has been very little criticism of the move which we felt this defeat made necessary—a change in the personnel of the district assessors throughout the state—save in the papers controlled by the former adulnistration. The facts will show, however, when the present assessment has been completed that this removal was more than justified. No man can operate a private business successfully if all his employees are antagonistic to him and we simply applied good business sense to the tax situation. We have not disturbed the civil service local assessors, more than two-thirds of whom were Democrats, but we have placed them under district assessors in sympathy with the administration and have held them responsible for fair and complete returns of the luxable property of the state.

About Civil Service

"We have heard much in the last few weeks about the alleged purpose of this administration to smash the civil service laws. Because the governor has removed some officials and has insisted upon the appointment of others it has been charged that the spoils system was to be restored. Such inference has no foundation in fact. We have enacted a new law which is really one of the most constructive of this administration. The new law provides for a state civil service board of two members of opposite political parties and for competitive examinations all along the line—the kind of examination specified in the constitution. It provides that those who have been continuously and satisfactorily in the service for seven years or more, regardless of politics, shall continue in the service without examination. It further provides that all those who are now in the service and have passed no examination or only a non-competitive examinnation shall be certified with the three highest on the list of those passing a competitive examination, thus enabling the appointing officer to continue them in the service or appoint one of the other three. These are high water marks in a measure which we believe will be widely commended. These provisions are in striking contrast with the civil service law enacted two years ago which provided for a state commission of three members not one of whom was a Republican, filled all appointive places with Democrats and sought to perpetuate them in their jobs. This new law removes from the civil service of Ohio the partisanship and unfairness which has brought the merit system into disrepute throughout the state.

Tells About Other Bills

"The Cass Highway Bill is a piece of constructive legislation which has not received the public attention that it merits. It deals with interests vital to the people of every county in the state, which can be fully appreciated only when the counties have come to realize just what it means by actual test in its operation. Our highways reach to every nook and corner of the state and their improvement is a matter of paramount interest to every citizen of Ohio. Our road laws, enacted through a series of years, were so voluminous, incongruous and tangled that even the lawyers interpreted them with difficulty and uncertainty. The Cass bill puts the road laws of the state into consecutive and logical arrangement and in language that even the layman—the farmer—the mechanic and the merchant, may read and understand. This constructive legislation is the result of years of effort. Last January it was freely predicted that it could not be enacted at this session of the General Assembly. But it is an accomplished fact. It gives a larger measure of home rule in the construction and maintenance of our highways, simplifies our road laws and insures a more efficient and economic administration of our state highway department. It is the opinion of those who have given years to the study of highway legislation that this law will become a model of its kind for many of our sister states.

In Hands Of Farmers

"The Smith-Hall law puts the activities of the Agricultural Department into the hands of the farmers who farm and takes the great agricultural interests of the state out of politics. The administration of the department is placed under a non-salaried, non-partisan board in which the two parties have absolutely equal representation. This board supersedes the agricultural commission of four members, each drawing a salary of $5,000. It will elect a secretary who will be the chief executive officer of the board and who will be paid an annual salary of $4,000, thus effecting a very substantial saving each year.

"The McFarland bill restores the experiment station at Wooster to the administration board of control composed of farmers. The Hake bill places the farmer's institute work under the direction of the College of Agriculture in the Ohio State University and provides for the employment of farm agents in Ohio in all the counties that desire this service. The matter is left entirely optional with the different counties. This law makes available for use in Ohio the money appropriated under the Smith-Lever act of Congress. Congress will make appropriations available for the state gradually increasing from year to year until the annual sum will amount to one hundred and eighty thousand dollars. This opens up an opportunity to bring the results of the latest investigations in practical and scientific agriculture to the home of every farmer in Ohio.

"In the last campaign there was serious criticism of the high-handed methods used by a former secretary of state in dealing with the referendum petitions of the people. This secretary contended, and perhaps he was right in his contention, that the law gave him authority to dispose at will with the referendum petitions of the people. The law which armed him with this autocratic authority, and which was enacted in the previous administration, has been swept from the statute books. Perhaps our critics would say it has been "ripped" and if they are satisfied to put it that way, I shall not object. The Cass Referendum Bill which is now a law, placed the power of determining the sufficiency of referendum petitions in the hands of deputy state supervisors of elections and the Common Pleas Courts of the different counties of the state where the signers of those petitions are known and where attempts at fraud can be detected and exposed. The secretary of state now has only the authority to tabulate and announce the number of signers of referendum petitions as he has the authority to tabulate and announce election returns. In other words, the autocratic authority over the petitions of the people heretofore vested in the office of the secretary of state has been removed, and the law providing for this change was so just and reasonable that it received in the legislature, not only the solid Republican vote, but practically all of the votes of the Democrats as well.

Pledged To Economy

"This administration went into power a short time ago, pledged to a program of economy. Something already has been accomplished that is worthy of the consideration of the tax payers of the state. There has been a reduction and saving of expense in the various departments of the state amounting to over $400,000. Practically all of this reduction comes from the cutting down of the high salaries in the various departments. $134,460 of this substantial saving has been effected in the reduction of the estimated salaries and expenses of the state liquor licensing commission alone. The state tax commission, at one sweep cut off $17,000 of unnecessary expenses, and the state banking department made even a more remarkable saving, lopping off about $20,000. As an example of some of the economies that have been instituted in the short period of this administration, I will refer to the system of chemical analysis carried on by the agricultural commission. The estimate of the commission of the amount to be expended for this purpose was $20,000 annually. By the establishment of a chemical laboratory under the state board of health, with adequate equipment for all emergencies, a saving will be made this year in this one item of $11,500. After the close of the present year the work will be carried on at a cost not to exceed $5,000 a year—an annual saving of $15,000.

Payroll Is Cut Down

The payroll of the State Highway Department has been materially reduced without impairment of the services and this saving of money is to be used in actual road building. Another economy effected was in the Utilities Commission, where a reduction of over $50,000.00 per year, above estimated requirements of the department, was made; while something over $100,000.00 has been cut off in the expenses of the Board of Administration.

"While savings have been effected in almost every department of the state government, the benevolent and educational institutions of the state have not been neglected. In the past two years there have been appropriated $522,226.00 for the improvement of the different benevolent institutions and the housing of the inmates, while the appropriations made by the present General Assembly amount to $1,085,000 for the current year and $619,419 for the year following. These large expenditures were absolutely necessary, because the helpless wards of the state had previously been neglected and practically no permanent improvements have been made at the various institutions in recent years.

"For betterments and housing of the educational institutions there has been appropriated for this year $815,500 and for the year following $506,750, a marked increase over previous appropriations for this purpose, and the vast expenditures of the state which the present administration found necessary to make will all be kept within the limit of the revenues of the state without increasing the tax levy.

"Every small borrower in Ohio is indebted to this legislature for the excellent loan shark bill, which ends forever, in Ohio the bleeding of those forced to borrow on salaries or chattels.

"This bill relieves many thousands of persons from paying back double or treble or more the amounts they have borrowed, and it is interesting to note that it is almost identical with the bill which was defeated in the previous general assembly by the orders of the governor.

"The election laws have been recast in the interests of economy in operation and the purity of the ballot.

Talks About "Bossing"

Much has been said by our political opponents through their well-paid press bureau about bossing the legislature. Some time ago in their opinion it was not sufficiently bossed by the Governor. In these later days when measures are crystalized into law these same critics are of the opinion that the Governor is doing too much in the line of bossing the legislature. It is significant, however, that neither this legislature nor the present Governor has been accused of being dominated by a boss representing sinister interests or camping on the state house grounds for machine building purposes. The present general assembly is a deliberative body and interests big and little have had their legitimate opportunity to be heard before the various committees, but no plea of special interests, up to this hour, has resulted in action detrimental to the interests of the whole people. When the General Assembly has finished its labors, I have an abiding faith that the verdict of the people will be that it has added creditable chapter to the legislative history of our progressive commonwealth."

Before concluding his address Governor Willis presented John Eckhart and Roy McElhaney with the first and second prizes, respectively, awarded to them in the Morning Star subscription contest.

In leading up to the presentation, the Governor remarked that it was a contest fraught with such commendable principles that it was no disgrace to be defeated. In fact, he contended that both sides had won.

Trophies Are Presented

Holding aloft the silver loving cup awarded to John Eckhart, the winner, he called Mr. Eckhart to his table and handed it to him with the words, "Eckhart, you great big honest Republican, take this, and may you continue in your great work."

Loud calls for a speech caused Mr. Eckhart to ask all of his teammates to arise, and waving to them, he stammered out the words, "Boys, I thank you."

Roy McElhaney was next called by the Governor and presented with the silver filigree vase, the second prize. In presenting it, the Governor said, "McElhaney, this was a contest in which it was an honor to be vanquished as well as to be the victor. With equal pride and satisfaction, I present you with this vase as a token of your fidelity to the principles of the Republican party."

Mr. McElhaney was also called upon for a speech and he, like his rival, asked the members of his team to stand, and thanked them.

Senator Harding Next

Senator Harding was introduced by Dr. Kline as the first U. S. Senator from Ohio elected by the direct vote of the people, and referred to him as one of the party's greatest statesmen, one who had grown gray in the service and devotion to Republican principles. The Senator was greeted by vociferous cheering, which did not subside for several seconds. The entire assemblage arose and remained standing during the applause.

The distinguished Senator acknowledged the cordial greeting with feeling, and it caused him to refer to the several banquets which he had attended since the first of the year.

"But," he said, "it remained for the Republicans of Scioto county to demonstrate that a Republican banquet was in season in May.

"Reformation," continued the Senator, "has taken our conventions away from us, and now we have banquets, where we can get together, touch elbows, compare notes, and rejoice in the success of the principles of the party which we loyally espouse.

Senator Harding then launched into his prepared speech, which was a repetition of his famous speech delivered at Boston a few days since. His speech in full follows:

"No sign above the political horizon was ever so conspicuous—the Republican party is coming back in a sweeping national victory in 1916. It will come back in every significant state contest where the issues are squarely raised and vigorously fought in this year of 1915, just as was experienced in Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, Illinois, Iowa and Kansas in 1914. Ordinarily, two years of Democratic incapacity are enough to turn the tide, but foreign war befogged the situation in 1914, so the third year, this time, is needed to make the popular revolt nation-wide. Mark you, there is no doubt about the ultimate result. The Republican party is coming back because it is once more proven to be right, because the country needs Republican policies and attending good fortune, because Republican capacity to construct and administer to the highest advantage of the American people has been magnified anew by the chastening which always attends a Democratic administration.

Principles Will Stand

"Political whims and popular personalities will come and go, but a political principle stands everlastingly true; sometimes it is obscured by the passing storm, but it stands like a beacon unchanging, to guide the pilots of nations. It is consistent devotion to principle which holds the Republican party as the hope and promise of the American people today. Thoughtful observers believed they saw the end in 1912. But when the atmosphere was cleared of the conflicts of personalities and the resort to expediencies and surrender to exigencies and appeals to prejudices, there loomed the monuments of Republican constructiveness, there stood the foundations on which to rebuild.

"The Republican party endures because of its unalterable faith in our representative form of government, as conceived by the inspired fathers, upon whose foundation we have builded to surpassing national glory. We believe in representative democracy as adopted in the federal constitution, and proclaim it to be the highest and best form and plan of a people's rule ever fashioned by mankind for the common weal. We believe that upon this principle we have made orderly progress and unequaled advancement, until the record of that progress is the greatest heritage of American citizenship. We believe sincerely in the rule of the people, not through unthinkingly broadened responsibilities, but through conscience-driven, reasoning exercise of a citizenship made sovereign from the beginning.

"Equal rights and equal opportunity were proclaimed at the very start—liberty's first contributions to the federal foundation—they have been sacredly maintained, and in their exercise our people have wrought to the astonishment of all the nations of civilization.

"Though Jefferson was their conspicuous advocate, he was no more influential in their establishment than Franklin, who insisted on safe-guarding by constitutional provision, and Hamilton, who demanded a nationality ample to guarantee them. Thus was the Republican party consecrated to these indestructible principles by its Federalist forebears, and reconsecrated by that martyred Republican hero who saved the nation—Abraham Lincoln. He said we are for "a fair start and an unfettered chance in the race of life," and the Republican party holds to the same doctrine, unalterably, today.

The Cause Of Human Rights

"Turn specifically to the birth of the Republican party, and the record recites its committal to the cause of human rights at the altar of its christening, it has been consistent and sincere in every reiteration, points to performance to prove the wisdom of its promises, may always cite its pledges kept as an index to party conscience, and finds the reflex of its unwavering progression in the American standard of living and the matchless story of American accomplishment. We opened to equal rights and equal opportunities the avenues of reward. Our party, exalted human rights by providing conditions for higher attainment. We could not revise human nature nor abolish greed; we could not stamp our envy nor eliminate selfishness, nor eradicate jealousy; we could not establish the equality of capacity or reward. But we did apply the best of thought and honest intent to the solutions of problems that attend exceptional growth, and mean to go on, deliberately, orderly, conscientiously, yielding not to prejudice nor passion, but strengthening the weak in the supremacy of law, always avoiding destruction, where possible, seeking to cure and preserve, always advancing to the ideal over safe and proven paths.

Square Deal Under Taft

"Mr. Toastmaster, in the reflections and exultations of a proud citizenship and the convictions which can not be altered, I believe the square deal to have reached its fullest development under William Howard Taft, who was committed to unfaltering justice to all men under the law. To him it was the law itself, and the law's inspiration, and the one who doubted had his vision clouded by pretense, passion or clamor, or all of them, and needs a new baptism of patriotism, hope and trust. In twenty centuries of Christian civilization, equal rights and the square deal were never so abidingly established as at the time when discord divided our ranks, and rewards were sacrificed when our party was rended.

"Looking back now, when the reflective vision is unimpaired, I venture to say that the country and our political parties need a new baptism of truth.

"We were aware of mistaken attitudes and unapproved practices in our party in 1912, not without extenuating circumstances however, but we were too wrought up by conflict to cure in needed deliberation. We had keener vision for national perils than for party weakness. We endangered our party system by the abuse of it, and we needed awakening to the truth to effect a cure.

"Inspired by the country's call for a Republican return, we shall be strongly equipped in a new consecration to everlasting truth, and let the Democratic party revel in expediency and new paramounts which invariably lead to disappointment. There was a double lure of expediency in 1912, and the confusion of double opposition. The combination put the Democratic party in power, and routed the Republican forces, but the ultimate result is the awakening of the country to a realization of the indissoluble relation between Republican policies and the people's good fortune.

The Necessary Spur

"It seems characteristic of our American life that we must have periodical Democratic paralysis to bring us to appreciation of the healthful glow of Republican activity. I am thinking of 1892 and 1896. After that visitation of Democratic disaster and depression, wrought in the name of cheapness and the freedom of buying in the markets of the world, there came a fevered frenzy to banish a symptom rather than remove a cause. The people believed we needed more and cheaper money, Mr. Bryan's "cross of gold" loomed up like a flaming comet, and harbinger of destruction. But the Republican party clung to the truth, it proclaimed the cause and offered a cure, and an understanding people went to the ballot-box and took Mr. Bryan's "crown of thorns" and transformed it into a wreath of bloom, redolent of the perfume of abundant prosperity, and placed on the brow of that greatest of all apostles of protection, the revered and trusted William McKinley.

"The situation is analogous today, and the Republican party will cling to a great, saving truth. If we have one distinguishing characteristic above all others, ours is the party of protection. Under its banner, our party has achieved its most notable triumphs and wrought the greatest good fortune to the American people. Any surrender or apologetic modification will dim our most glorious identity. More, it is the one thing for which a distressed country is praying, and is the specific thing which will restore an industrious people, rich in resources and productive character, to the activities which lead to rejoicing. Not all the country wanted the abandonment of a protective tariff. Owing to the mutterings of selfishness, which can not be escaped, no matter how loftily we aim, part of the people thought we ought to "sharpen our wits in competition with the world," but it was a minority which voted for the new freedom which soon became an old and unhappy illiteracy. But Democracy delivered and a nation distresses.

Wilson Shifts Responsibility

"But Democracy did not deliver the expected lowering of prices because sixteen years of Republican good fortune had established a higher standard of living and with it a higher capacity to live, and the fullness of Democratic destruction was averted by the cataclysm of European war, which saved us from the competition against which the Democratic party would not protect us. Last year, when the situation was new and little understood, President Wilson shifted the responsibility for retarded activities from psychological depression to the effects of war. The actual truth challenges contradiction—the European war has given the only impetus that has marked production in the United States since the passage of the Underwood tariff, and it is said without rejoicing. Our people do not want to prosper at the bloody sacrifice of the brave men of Europe, locked in the conflict of horrifying war; our aspirations are in the triumphs of peace. We want the good fortunes that come of American markets for Americans, with our higher wages, higher standards and larger capacity to buy. We have proven again and again the beneficence of protection, and our people, again awakened to appreciation, want the policy restored. Nobody pretends that any Republican tariff law has been perfect, but none has ever been destructive. I choose a tariff law like Methodist liberality in baptism—sprinkling at least, pouring if one believes that way, immersion if necessary, and redemption under one of the three. The party which believes in protection must look to its perfection. Our party was progressing in that direction when it was distracted by the contest over candidates, which ended in our undoing. It is not to be said that Republican protection has made for unvarying good fortune, but it is political history that Democratic revision invariably makes for depression and holds it uninterrupted until we apply Republican relief.

Broader View Is Needed

"Henceforth we must look above and beyond the unceasing and selfish wrangle about schedules, and comprehend from the broader view. Under Republican protective policies, we have the larger and a general prosperity, we have doubled or trebled wage scales and abundance of employment, we have the higher standard of living and the larger capacity to buy. It is not what the consumer pays, it is the consumer's ability to buy that counts. Democracy's error lies in thinking only of the consumer, but a Republican knows it is the producer that counts. One must produce before he can consume, and American eminence is the reflex of a well-paid, fully-employed nation of producers. If protection and its alleged robbery are leading to oppression, as Democracy asserts, let some knowing Democrat tell us why the incoming tide of immigration always floods our shores when Republican good fortune obtains. It is so true that opponents have urged that we protect our products, but do not protect the laborer. Every experience refutes the charge. When the tide of Republican good fortune is at the flood, we need every newcomer to perform our tasks; common labor would be left undone without them. They do not lower the wage, they ascend to the American heights. And they do not come to seek a new existence in oppression or industrial slavery, but pour into this new world haven of liberty and hope to find equal rights, the reward of industry and merit and opportunity and mount the plane of exalted American citizenship.

The Crime Of Politics

"In this connection, I want to say that the crime of American politics, perhaps true of politics in other lands, is that misrepresentation which comes of envy or jealousy or demagogy, against which Washington warned us, which tends to render alien and hostile the two great factors which must ever harmonize to achieve and maintain industrial and commercial supremacy. It is all wrong to proclaim success dishonest. Nothing is more unfair than the insinuation that the man who is concerned about the confidence of the business world is an opponent of human progress. It is libel intolerable to say that every man standing for protection is a hireling of favored interests. Franklin and Hamilton were the founders, Clay was a great disciple, Lincoln a cordial supporter, Harrison a defender, McKinley a great apostle, Roosevelt a believer, Taft an able advocate, and the best thought in the land today argues that the policy which made us, what we are is essential to maintain the eminence to which we aspire. Until there is readjustment of the world's wage scale, we require the protection which made our industries to preserve them, and I would rather see this great people lift the world wages to our scale than lower ours to that of the underpaid toilers of the world.

Through Reconsecration

"I am not blind to the admonition that the Republican party must take advanced ground to win popular favor in 1916. It may be noted, too, that those most insistently urging this, are declaring for the effacement of the men who have been conspicuous in the past. Let me warn you, fellow Republicans, the way to victory and the country's restoration is not in recrimination, but reconsecration. To efface the old guard, so-called, really a term of honor rather than opprobrium, which saved us from utter dissolution and gave us a party around which to rally, would be like effacing the veterans who turned the tide of rebellion at Gettysburg in '63. Nay, more, it would be like discrediting Grant's irresistible army which moved unfalteringly on, despite the discouraging losses, from the Wilderness to Appomattox and melted their swords and bayonets in the fires of conflict to rivet anew the ties of a saved and hence, forthwith forever indissoluble nation.

At the same time, let it be understood that there need be neither foreswearing nor apology on the part of those who enlisted in the Progressive cause of 1912. I can utter a cordial and sincere welcome to the re-enlistment of any or all. The country is calling, the cause is a people's need, and the glory of things to be will make trivial the bitterness that came of things which could not be. Let us turn from the unhappy wreck of 1912 and look to relieving the country of the misfortune which attended. Speaking for myself, and having declared myself for the regulars who stuck to the trenches throughout the conflict, I ask no apology and offer none. I can cordially welcome the re-enlistment of the humblest in the ranks and can gladly acclaim the return of Col. Roosevelt himself. The party has proven its capacity to survive; let us work together to make it the instrumentality of highest usefulness under popular government through political parties.

Danger Of Socialism

"It is well, however, to ponder the tendency to break away from some of our old-fashioned moorings. Ours is intended to be a representative government, and has grown to gratifying eminence after nearly a century and a half of trials and storms and passing passions and prejudice. It was never intended to be excessively paternal nor socialistically fraternal. Yet there is a drift to both, and there is only a step between. Plunder and greed on one hand and appeal to prejudice and hate on the other are swelling the throngs of Socialism which will turn our genius and talent and industry into paralyzed efficiency. Surely there is a path of political righteousness aloof from these threatened dangers. With conscience awakened, let us make it more sensitive; with men heeding, let us weave new strength into the moral fibre of individual American manhood; with public interest awakened, let us make honesty the first requisite of men and political parties, and apply it as the surest cure of all social and political and economic ills. Meanwhile, remembering that subsistence is the essential foundation on which man must stand to reach for the ideal, let us think of the upkeep as well as the uplift, and assure our millions the subsistence from which they may aspire.

The Things Most Needed

"The things most needed in 1916 are not new ideas, but new sincerity and a new consecration to truth already uttered. With our party declared for a restored merchant marine, and were hindered not alone by the Democratic party, but by Republicans recreant to the party's pledges. They were deterred by the clamor about special privilege and government favoritism, things which never halted the triumphant fathers. They provided subsidies and subventions and discriminating tonnage taxes and preferential tariffs on cargoes shipped in American bottoms, and they whitened the seas with American sails and acquainted the world with the American flag. The preservation of their policies would have maintained our prestige as carriers by sane, but we abandoned our upbuilding, and it heralded our undoing. Finally war brought us to a realization. Except in a limited sense, war paralyzed the carriers of our competitors, and blocked their shipping lines which we builded for them, out of our freights, to aid them in defeating our commercial expansion. Then when the unsupplied markets of the world turned to us, and trade beckoned as never before, and opportunity awaited us opportunity rarely does await, we found ourselves unable to respond, and missed the opportunity for the miracle of expansion.

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Democracy Sees Its Error

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"Democracy awoke to the error of its persistent opposition, declined to confess its mistaken attitude and turned to substitute federal ownership for the subsidy it condemned. Thus far, we have been spared the perils and failures and discouragements of that futile and un-American policy but we are still unfitted to send our cargoes and unfurl the flag on the highways of the seas. A nation with a commerce of forty billions at home ought command four billions of sales abroad. Such a sum is vastly less than the percentage of foreign trade to the domestic trade of the nations we aspire to excel. We have the resources, the genius, the industry, and the efficiency, but we haven't the patriotism and the courage to maintain the maritime eminence the fathers bequeathed us. I believe in subsidies myself, knew we could pay, under Republican tariffs, without feeling the cost, and for every million expended the benefits would count ten-fold. We build the Panama canal at forty millions outlay, and say to world shipping: "Here is an American gift to further your fortunes." I think the time has come to do something for American shipping, to add to our conquest of world markets, while enhancing our prosperity at home. This policy has been the wish of Republican majorities, but we failed to write the wish of the majority into party and national law. But we can do it now, and we will; a restored and triumphant American merchant marine shall be the first contribution of returned Republicanism to greater national glory.

"The truth is more apparent today. Naval preparedness for defense is not preparation for invasion. Safeguarding tranquility is not eagerness for conquest. The United States has no such purpose. Our territory is ample. Texas alone has as many square miles and as many fertile acres as the German empire, which holds the allies of Europe at bay. We are so large, so seemingly measureless, so physically beyond comparison, that I think, sometimes, Democratic failure is due to lack of realization of our greatness and the requisites of greatness in solving its own problem. Where European coast lines count hundreds, ours measure thousands, and we require for "safety first", not only the best coast defenses but we ought to have the first and best navy in the world. It will guard our commerce on sea and guarantee our tranquility at home. It will cheer Missouri as it comforts Massachusetts and make the American voice for peace more an argument and less an appeal.

None Can Be Blind

"Mr. Toastmaster, no Republican, no American can be blind to the agitation and the strife for reformation which marked our political activity during the past half dozen years. If in the contest between radicalism and conservatism the pendulum was far swung to the former let us hold to all the good which was wrought and guard against the excessive backward swing. It was good to have the awakened conscience, personal, political, corporate or national. Some excesses in reform were inevitable, because of their seeming popular favor, but there was no thinking call to harrass and hamper legitimate business, big or little. The glories of equal opportunity and the square deal must never be dimmed by restricted achievement or penalized attainment.

"In that retrospection which makes for inspiration, there grows the conviction that Republican progress, written in a half century of Republican accomplishment, seems more like the miracle of a national destiny than the story of a political party and its tasks in statecraft. But the truth abides, incomparable and incontrovertible. We have not only made a nation, rough-hewn and popularly governed, the marvel of development among great nations, we have contributed to the uplift, emphasized human rights and elevated the standard of living; we have not only become leaders in finance and industry; we have not only become equals in education and rivals in art, but we are the inspiration and example of other republics and ought to be, could be, influencing the idealization of the government of the earth. Thus runs the epitome of Republican accomplishment. It justifies our pride in the past, explains the nation-wide turning to the party for the country's restoration, and gives every assurance of glorious triumphs in the future."

Several of the banqueters left at the conclusion of Senator Harding's address, but a number of them remained to hear the short addresses from the other notables present.

Lieut. Governor Talks

Lieutenant-Governor Jack Arnold was the first one called upon for an impromptu speech. He said in part:

"My main duty in part has been to officiate as President of the Senate during the present session of the legislature. In that capacity I have ever endeavored to uphold the hands of Governor Willis to the best of my ability. Older members of the Senate have brought to bear at times all of the dilatory tactics known to them, and I have no excuses to offer for any of my actions while presiding over the Senate. We have passed all of the bills mentioned by the Governor in his speech, and I am glad to say that my influence was used in favor of them.

"I am not a believer in civil service, and never have been. But the majority of the minority of the people of Ohio have placed it upon the statute books, and I would like to see it taken out by the majority of the people of the state; and I believe they will.

"I think that the Archer bill will again be introduced for re-consideration, and I believe that it will be reckoned as one of the greatest constructive pieces of legislation enacted. It provides the Industrial Commission with the power to adjust the working hours of employees and would prove to be far the best interests of both labor and capital.

"The Republicans of Scioto county are to be congratulated on this magnificent banquet and demonstration. It is one of the finest that I ever attended, and I want to thank you for your invitation and cordial hospitality."

Mr. Daugherty Speaks

Harry M. Daugherty, chairman of the Republican executive committee of 1912, was next introduced.

He opened his remarks with a witty story about a congressman from the South who was campaigning in one of the counties of his district which was unfriendly to him, and who was a guest at a banquet in the principal city of the county. After all the polished orators on the program had spoken, he was called upon to make a speech. He attempted to avoid the task by saying that he had been assured that he would not be called upon. One of his political enemies promptly arose, said he had been given the same assurance, and started home.

"The loyal Republicans in 1912 saved the party from utter rout," declared Mr. Daugherty. And in this connection, there are two things that I will ever insist upon. One is, that I will not apologize to any man for the course I took in that campaign, and I will never ask any other man to apologize to me for his course."

Mr. Daugherty then recounted his years of service to the party, stating that he had been fighting for its principles for over 33 years. He argued for the return of party state conventions, so that the members of the party in different parts of the state could get better acquainted with each other and feel a common interest in the party's welfare.

He also weighted in with complimentary boosts for Senator Tremper and Representative Sprague, and said that the Republicans of Scioto county should be proud of their records in the State Assembly.

Mr. Daugherty also reiterated his faith in the principles of the Republican party, being outspoken in favor of a protective tariff, and the return of legitimate prosperity. While not a believer in Democracy, he said he would support President Wilson so long as he was President, and added that he did not think the war should be made a party question. All people should encourage the President in his effort to avoid a conflict with other powers, he added.

The speaker blamed the defeat of the Republican party in 1912 to the desertion of the Republican papers over the country, and complimented Senator Harding on the fact that his paper, the Marion Star, was the one of the few in the state that sincerely supported President Taft in his campaign for re-election.

Others Make Addresses

Praise for Governor Willis and his record as chief executive of the state was the burden of the brief address of Edwin Jones, of Jackson, chairman of the state executive committee, whom Toastmaster Kline next introduced.

He said the Governor's modesty prevented him from taking the credit unto himself for the accomplishments of the present General Assembly. He charged that the Democratic press of the state was maligning and misrepresenting the governor for political purposes, and said that the people would recognize his worth in the end.

Governor Willis' re-election by a majority of over 100,000 was prognosticated by Mr. Jones, who added the Republican success was assured in the national election next year.

Congressman Robert M. Switzer, of Gallipolis, who formerly represented Scioto county in the national house, complimented the committee upon the huge success of the banquet, and recounted briefly the past achievements of the Republican party in Scioto county.

Similar sentiments were expressed by State Treasurer Rudolph W. Archer, who was also called upon. He congratulated the committee and the Republicans present for the magnificent reception they had tendered Governor Willis and Senator Harding, and also spoke of the pleasant day he had enjoyed at the hands of the committee.

Senator Tremper There

Senator W. D. Tremper pleaded inability to measure up to the eloquence of former speakers, but he took time to express his appreciation for the interest that had been taken in the banquet which brought out such a large attendance. He spoke of the tremendous strain under which Governor Willis had been working during the session of the legislature, and said that he had tried to the best of his ability to assist him in his effort to redeem the party pledges. He also weighed in with a few words of commendation for Lieutenant-Governor Arnold, who, he said, had presided over the senate with fairness and impartiality. In conclusion he expressed exceeding pleasure in having so many of the party's distinguished leaders present in his home town, and closed with a prophecy that the outlook was rosy for Republican success in the county at the next election.

Rep. Sprague Talks

Representative W. R. Sprague responded with a very brief talk, in which he joined with Senator Tremper in the pleasure of entertaining the party's avowed leaders in the state. He said his main purpose while at Columbus was to redeem the party pledges, and that his efforts had been centered on that aim. He thanked those present for the support they had accorded him, and asked for a continuation of their confidence.

Editor Myers Talks

Editor F. W. Meyers, of The Morning Star, followed with a brief talk, in which he thanked the Republicans of Portsmouth and Scioto county for the valuable assistance they had given him in increasing the circulation of his paper. He said that in no other city had he been so cordially received as in Portsmouth, and added that he hoped to merit a continuance of that approval and confidence.

NOTES

It was the unanimous consensus of opinion that at no affair ever given in this city have the decorations rivaled those at Kendall's Hall Saturday evening. The hall was transformed into a place of exquisite beauty and excited the fulsome praise of all present. As Governor Willis stated, the dominant note in the decorative scheme was the national colors, which were twisted and entwined in all sorts of artistic and fantastic arrangements.

Bunting was waved and folded in pleasing fashion around the walls and below the ceiling; over three hundred American flags were placed at uniform distances about the hall; tiny silk American flags adorned the tables, and afterward given to each guest as a favor; a huge American flag was stretched behind the guest table, extending over half the width of the room; the orchestra stand was gayly bedecked with festoons of colors.

In the center, supported by four snow-white columns, a veritable bower of ferns, palms and greens, four foot square, was artistically fashioned, above which revolved an American eagle, decorated with the national colors, bands of which fluttered from its beak. The lighting scheme of this entrancing feature was by no means of slight pretentions.

Pictures of McKinley, Taft, Harding, Willis and other patron saints of the G. O. P., adorned the walls literally buried in the folds of Old Glory.

Credit for this wonderful decorative achievement belongs to Harry Boyd, of the Brandon Company, whose efforts along this line has won for him previous commendation. Chairman Frank Stanton and the other members of the decorative committee were showered with congratulations throughout the evening for the success of their work.

None the less worthy of praise was the service of Caterer Jacob Pfau and his assistants, who won another niche in their fame for cuisine service. Besides furnishing a delectable spread, one which pleased everybody, they served it in style, and the tedious waits so common to such affairs were noticeably lacking. Visiting guests commented frequently upon the excellence of the service.

The menu was as follows:

Olives Gherkins
Broiled Scioto Valley Springers on Toast Cream Sauce
Baked Ham French Fried Potatoes
Tomatoes Mayonnaise
Whole Wheat and White Bread
Vanilla Ice Cream
Long Run Strawberrie
Macaroons Kisses Lade Fingers
American Cheese Wafers
Coffee Cigars.

The Acolian Quartette reminded old-time politicians of the Republican Glee Club of Columbus with their witty, appropriate selections. Every number was greeted with uproarious applause, and at times, the toastmaster had difficulty in going ahead with the program. It is not enough to say that their efforts were well received. They were a howling success.

Their political parodies on "When Johnny Comes Marching Home" and "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" brought down the house, while their more serious numbers provoked loud applause.

The members of this quartette are composed of W. H. Gilliland, Fred Lorey, Watson Goddard and J. Adam Burkel.

Pleasing music was furnished during the course of the banquet by Bade's orchestra, stationed on an elevated stand at the east end of the hall. They entertained with standard overtures and musical comedy numbers, which were well received.

Governor Willis and Senator Harding were seated at the center of the guest table, one either side of the toast-master, Dr. P. J. Kline. All other dignitaries of state and district prominence occupied seats at this table.

Congressman Robert M. Switzer headed a good-sized delegation from Gallipolis to the banquet. Besides himself, the party included Dr. J. F. Hanson, Hollis C. Johnston, Earl W. Mauck and Judge J. C. Ingles. Mr. Switzer only returned Friday evening from a trip through the South with the rivers and harbors committee of Congress, and left early the next morning for Portsmouth. There is strong probability that Scioto county will be placed back in his district.

A trio of Jackson countians occupied seats at the guest table, Chairman Edwin Jones, Edwin Sell and E. B. Matthews.

From Ironton there came Judge E. E. Corn, Editor Edward Moore, Sam Bowman, D. C. Davies and O. E. Irish. Homer Edwards, of Ironton, executive clerk to the Governor, accompanied them home on the midnight train.

Piketon was well represented, the party from there including J. F. "Sandy" Bateman, Editor Charles B. Wynn William Rittenour, C. K. Patterson and E. G. Bateman.

Waverly sent two representatives, William Gregg and Claude Cook. The latter is an applicant for a position as deputy state fire marshal.

Former Congressman Lucien J. Kenton, of Winchester, was in the Adams county crowd, which included Judge F. W. Kendall, Editor F. H. Doyle, C. D. Strowman, W. E. Warner, E. A. Scott and W. J. Shuster, of West Union; Ralph Fisher and Rev. R. Y. Littlejohn, of Rome; E. H. Ellison and E. B. Sutter, of Manchester.

A jolly party of ten motored up from McDermott to enjoy the festivities. In the party were Scott McDermott, Preston Thompson, Ord Thompson, Howard Duncan, R. S. Scott, R. R. Reed, Frank Waller, John S. Smith, William Tauman and Orville Shively.

Madison township was also well represented, the number including George Butcher, William Butcher, E. Rickey, J. K. Vickers, T. Frank Brown, William Thompson and Thomas Allard.

Beautiful souvenir programs were distributed to each guest, the inside page of which contained excellent pictures of Senator Harding and Governor Willis. They will be treasured by many as mementoes of the occasion.

Senator Harding and his secretary, George B. Christian, arrived late Saturday afternoon in an automobile, having made the entire trip from Marion in a machine. The Senator was entertained at dinner at the home of Charles E. Hard, and was afterward driven to the hall.

A flashlight of the scene was taken during the early part of the evening. Four attempts were made before the powder ignited, during which the hall was in darkness.

George B. Christian, Senator Harding's secretary, made a fine impression here. He is a young, companionable fellow, well suited for the place. While here he was the guest of Mark W. Selby and family.

The Portsmouth Steel Company's Band were out in full uniform, heading a large delegation of the steel company's employees. They played a few selections early in the evening and made a big hit with the visitors.

The Governor deviated from his address long enough to hand out a few bouquets to Harry Hall, superintendent of the banking department, and J. E. Cross, state printer, both of whom were seated at the tables.

All the state officials expressed pleasure at meeting Rev. John W. Dillon, father of Judge E. B. Dillon, of Columbus, who is well known at the Capital.

Senator Harding stated that he had attended over twenty banquets since the first of the year. From here he went to Marietta to make an address before the Chamber of Commerce of that city Monday, and then goes to Indianapolis to deliver a speech before a Republican club of that city. On May 26th, he is scheduled for a speech at New York City before the National Manufacturers' Association. Ex-President W. H. Taft will also speak.

Governor Willis and his party of state officials were met at the N. & W. depot Saturday evening in automobiles and conveyed direct to the banquet hall.

The chairman of the different committees in charge of the details, were: General committee, Dr. P. W. Young; invitation, Dr. W. D. Tremper; banquet, Charles Dixon; finance, B. H. Dillon; music, Ben G. Harris; reception, Levi D. York; program, W. R. Sprague; hall, Will S. Sellards; decoration, Frank Stanton.

Green township sent two representatives to the banquet, Floyd Speers and Arthur Goddard, both loyal workers for the G. O. P. in that section of the county.

Notice!

There will be a called meeting of White Lilly Council No. 81, Daughters of America, this (Monday) evening at the home of Sister Mary Boyles, in the I. O. O. F. Temple, to make arrangements to attend the funeral of Sister Alice Wallace, which will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, at the First Baptist church. All members are urged to be present. Signed Councilor

LAURENA WOODS.

Didn't Like Florida

Wren Austin, son of Rev. D. S. Austin, formerly of South Portsmouth, returned here Saturday from Florida, not having found that state to his liking. His father is operating a large orange farm in Florida.

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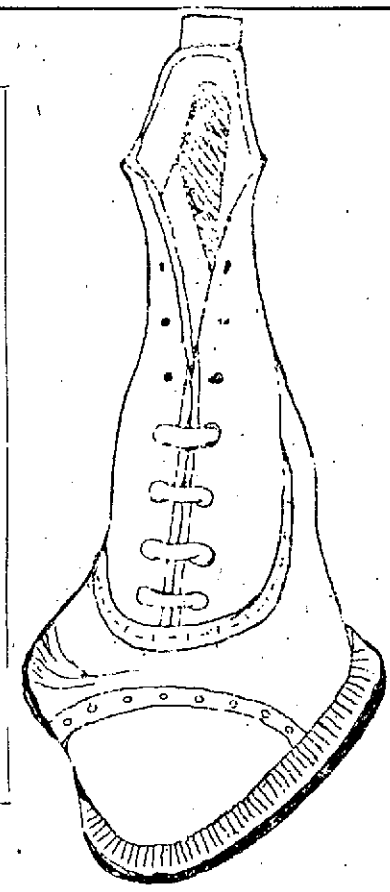
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SENATOR HARDING AT THE TRINITY MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Trinity Men's Class was highly honored and pleased to have as its guest, Hon. Warren G. Harding, U. S. Senator, of the great state of Ohio at its regular session Sunday morning. The basement was filled to overflowing when the senator made his appearance accompanied by Hon. Charles E. Hard, and he was given a rousing reception. After a splendid number by the Pilgrim Singers he made a splendid address to the class. He started by saying it was a little unusual for one so used to talking to political gatherings (a address a body of this kind, but added why should it be so as what could be said in one place should be proper and fitting in the other. He stated that he only delivered one sermon in his life and that was in Marion, Ohio, his old home. There had been quite a disension among the pastors and laymen of his town as to why men do not attend church? The pastor of his church had requested all the laymen to make Sunday evening talks upon this subject and it finally got around to his turn and he laughingly added that he closed the series. He chose for his text a verse from Paul's Epistle to the Galatians, where it says "Be ye not afraid if I tell you the truth. It must have stirred things up as he stated there was quite a spiritual awakening thereafter. He was much pleased at the hearty and open applause not as a personal tribute to himself but he believed in being natural in spiritual affairs as well as anything else. It used to seem to be an offense against God to applaud with the hand or otherwise in a house of worship. Religion of the past was too solemn and a musical instrument would have been an affront. Next to the greatest text I think is this. "Do the things that make for honesty in the sight of God and men." This is one of the best admonitions in the scriptures. It would establish the fraternity of men and nations. If men were honest with themselves and others there would be no turmoil in this country or war among the nations. But there is one more text that I place above all, "Do justice and love mercy." This would eliminate selfishness, do away with jealousy and bring about that happiness that we are all seeking in this world and the one to come. Let us do the things that God would have done in this world and the next will take care of itself. He closed by saying he hoped to have the pleasure of attending the class sometime again, and added that he believed they had injected a Sunday school germ in him today. The senator made a short address to the main school upstairs and in touching upon the European war he became not only very serious but eloquent, and said he not only hoped but prayed that God in some way, even if it be a miracle, would use this country as an instrument to bring peace in that great struggle. Not only a peace for the safety of ourselves, but a universal peace that the whole world can have and enjoy its great blessings.

Carnival A Success

The carnival held under the auspices of Loyal Order of Moose wound up in a blaze of glory Saturday night, an unusually large crowd attending.

The Moose will realize about $250 on the street fair. The most popular Moose contest was perhaps the only disappointment and had to be called off for lack of sufficient interest.

The National Exposition shows which gave the carnival here, left Sunday for Greenfield, Ohio, and after a week's engagement there, will visit Middletown.

What Next?

Complaint was received by the police Sunday evening about boys in the West End tracing trut lines and stealing the fish hooks.



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Enjoy Picnic

The students of the three high school classes and eighth grade of the Sciotoville schools enjoyed an all day picnic at the home of Chas. Ash, several miles back of Sciotoville, Monday.

Prof. John Gladson and R. B. Reed are teachers of the classes.

Money to loan on real estate. The Royal Savings and Loan Co. adv 11-tf

Hose Is Stolen

Mrs. S. A. Scott, proprietress of the Colonial boarding house at No. 629 Fifth street, discovered early Monday that 150 ft. of garden hose had been stolen from her premises. Officer Roy Moore is investigating.

When Foster & Hills say they will paint your house with white lead and linseed oil you will get that material, not a mixture called white lead and linseed oil. 640 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, 1834 Summit St. O. W. Hills, 624 Eighth St. Phone 1524 Y. adv 2tf

CRUSHING DEFEAT HANDED TO NAILERS BY LOCALS

Before Big Crowd, Portsmouth Team Won Easily, 10 to 1

Before an enthusiastic throng of fans Portsmouth walked away from Ironton in their Sunday game at Ironton, the final score being 10 to 1, which represents the relative strength of the teams as they performed yesterday. Portsmouth played in championship form while the Nailers simply had an off day, every play breaking badly for them.

Helpless before the masterly pitching of Big Larry Jacobus and unable to stop the wicked and at times brutal hitting of Spencer's team, Ironton went down to an ignominious defeat. And the big flock of fans wanted to drink from the cup of victory as they had done on Saturday, but base ball is the funny old game and the team that blanked Portsmouth 5 to 0 Saturday came right back and was defeated yesterday in a runaway style.

For a starter Diltz drew a pass, DeLotelle serving him four straight balls. A wild pitch permitted Diltz to reach second. He went to third on an infield out and scored on a bounder to the infield. Ironton's lone run came in the fourth when Levi opened with a single after Mills lost his foul fly in the sun. An out moved him up to second and he scored on Haddock's clean smash to center. This was all for Ironton as the team never had a look in after the fourth.

It was in the sixth that the dastardly deed was done by Portsmouth. Four hits in a row by Diltz, Dilhoeffer, Sharman and Mills, a pass and two errors by King and the stuff was off, the combination netting four runs. A pair of tallies were also scored in the seventh and two more were garnered in the eighth on good clean hitting, DeLotelle letting down after his team went to pieces.

Portsmouth simply clubbed its way to victory. Everything DeLotelle served was converted into ringing smashes and Ironton had no more show of winning than a battleship would have in reaching Lucasville via the Scioto river. The box score:

Portsmouth	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Diltz, rf	4	3	2	0	0	0
Dilhoeffer, 3b	4	1	1	2	3	1
Sharman, cf	4	2	3	4	0	0
Mills, c	5	0	4	3	0	1
Spencer, 1b	4	1	1	10	0	0
Caton, ss	5	1	1	1	4	0
Bush, 2b	3	0	0	6	1	0
Mellenry, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Jacobus, p	4	1	3	0	2	0
Totals	37	10	15	27	13	2
Ironton	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Oliom, 2b	5	0	1	4	4	0
Gilmore, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Calbert, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Levi, 1b	4	1	1	11	1	0
Perry, 3b	4	0	0	1	4	2
Sack, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
King, ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
Haddock, c	4	0	1	5	3	0
DeLotelle, p	4	0	1	2	5	1
*Doherty, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	1	7	27	15	6

*Doherty batted for King in sixth.

Portsmouth	1	0	0	1	0	4	2	2	0—10
Ironton	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0— 1

Three Base Hit—Jacobus.
Stolen Bases—Gilmore, Calbert, Diltz, Sharman.
First Base on Balls—DeLotelle 2, Jacobus 2.
Hit by Pitcher—King, Calbert.
Struck Out—By DeLotelle, 4; by Jacobus, 2.
Double Plays—Caton, Bush, Spencer 2.
Wild Pitches—De Lotelle.
Time of Game—1:50.
Attendance—1800.

A FEW PICKUPS AND GROUNDERS

Umpire Pfirman got by swell. He looks like a real arbiter.

Mills certainly mauled the old pill Sunday. He looks better every time out.

Manager Spencer is a finished first baseman. He handles the team nicely and is in almost every play. He is doing a lot of coaching at third, which shows how anxious he is to get a run across.

There is not a better infielder in the league than Bush. In the last three days he has accepted 26 chances without a skip.

Jacobus looked like a million dollar pitcher Sunday. At least Dilly kept yelling at him to this effect. Jacobus had a hop of the fast one and the old hook was hooking the corners.

One sweet little player is this lad Sharman in center. He busts that old pill to all corners of the lot.

Ironton turned out a great throng of fans and they rooted hard for their team, but not after the fatal sixth inning.

The local continent kidded Calbert all the way. When he hit into two double plays they got up on their hind legs and showed Ironton fans a 33rd degree brand of rooting.

With Smith on first, Oliom at second, Doherty at short and Perry at third the Nailers will have a fast infield.

Diltz retained his eye Sunday and faced a couple in addition to scoring a brace of tallies. He is always there with the old pepper.

Howdy Caton is a favorite already. Ironton fans appreciate a hustling ball player.

Mellenry, by gosh had some friends up from Adams to see him perform. His envious comrades on the team insist that he has more friends that come out to watch him play than any man in the league.

THE ST. LAWRENCE TEAM LOST TO HOLY REDEEMER

The Holy Redeemer school team Saturday won a great game from the St. Lawrence parochial team of Ironton, the final being 8 to 7. Here is how they lined up:

Portsmouth—Toomey, cf; Russell, 2b; Clark, 3b; McNamara, 3b; C. Kneghler, c; Halmert and Woods, lf; Emmett, rf; Dadosky, 1b; Kneghler, p.

Ironton—Gorman, 1b; Barron, ss; Mable, c; Haney, 3b; Mulligan, 2b; Shechleiter, lf; Mayne, cf; Heider and O'Leary; Kinney, p. Kinney pitched brilliant ball up until the 9th inning, holding his opponents to two hits. The score by innings:

Ironton ..... 1 1 0 2 2 1 0 0 0—7
Portsmouth ..... 0 2 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 3—8

"Smoky" Wood, a heavy slugger was used by the local boys as a pinch hitter in the ninth when the score stood 7 to 5 in favor of the Irontonians and "Smoky" delivered with a triple doing the score when two men raced home ahead of him. Later he scored and won the game.

SPORT SALAD

One is forced to think of "Connie" Mack's "$1,000,000 infield" when its one game Lajoie makes five errors and Barry makes four in another.

"I'm chilled to the bone," complained the player.

"That's all right," answered his manager. "I want cool headed men on my team."

Reports from Cincinnati state that the Cincinnati directors recently summoned Herzog for a conference, but he sent word he was too busy. "Buck" has a two year old contract and will not permit the directors to interfere with his work, as they have done with that of his predecessors.

To date "Eddie" Collins has not been hitting the ball as he did when with the Athletics, but he has played in luck in being passed to first and is keeping up his average of runs scored.

One year ago today the Braves were in last place, with a record of three games won, thirteen lost and a percentage of .17. Still they won the pennant. Nothing this, the Giant "fans" should take heart.

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IS HITTING .666

Is Larry Jacobus a hitter? Shucks has Dawn O. got the kale?

Jacobus in the two games in which he has performed so riotously in the box has stepped to the plate 9 times and 6 times he has lined the ball into unguarded spots. And one was a luscious triple. The Cincinnati lad is certainly in good with Portsmouth fans. He simply breezed through Sunday and outdistanced the field. Some twirler this good natured German.

To date he is hitting at a .666 cup.

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President Joe Carr of the Ohio State league was certainly fortunate when he secured the services of Long, Pfirman and Colgate for his umpirical staff. So far their work has been of the highest order.

Clippers Beaten

The Whittaker-Giessner Steelmakers Sunday defeated the Clippers by a score of 7 to 3. The box score:

Steel Plant	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Evans, 3b	5	2	2	3	4	1
Banfield, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Grimm, 2b	4	1	2	3	3	0
Shoemaker, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Klitch, ss	4	0	1	3	3	1
Staten, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0
G. Samson, c	4	1	0	7	5	0
F. Samson, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schultz, p	4	2	3	0	0	0
Totals	35	7	9	27	15	2
Clippers	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
J. Graves, ss	4	0	1	1	2	1
Mantel, 3b	5	1	0	1	3	2
Lowrey, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
McKnight, c	4	0	0	5	3	0
J. Barrows, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	1
O. Graves, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Eghert, 2b	3	0	1	2	1	0
L. Barrows, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Padan, p	2	0	1	1	2	1
Totals	30	3	5	21	11	5

Clippers	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0—3
Steel Plant	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	2	*—7

THE IRONY OF FATE

"Well, Portsmouth having defeated Ironton before a big crowd at home Sunday the Ohio tate league season can now go along on the even tenor of its way," said a local fan Sunday night.

Victors Won

The Victors cannot be stopped in their march to the front.

They administered a defeat to the newly organized Giants Sunday on the Sixteenth street diamond by a score of 21 to 10. Borders and Harris formed the battery for the Victors, Phillips and Dobbins for the Giants.

WASSLUGGING MATCH

Chillicothe, May 17.—In a game featured by heavy hitting the locals Sunday defeated Frankfort by the score of 19 to 7.

Frankfort	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2— 7
Chillicothe	3	2	5	1	0	2	0	1	*—19

	11	6	20	3

Batteries—Frankfort, Abbott, Fischer and Boulware; Chillicothe, Moore and Doherty.

GILMORE IS FAST MAN

Manager Smith has a rattling good centerfielder in Gilmore, who should go higher this season. He takes a healthy cut at the ball and looks them over in big league style. Haddock caught a nice game and Oliom looks fast at second. Ironton fans got their consolation out of the belief that it would have been different had smith been in the game.

Came Home Last Night

Hubert Test returned home Sunday and will rejoin the team here Wednesday. He pitched fine ball Saturday, but Ironton got the breaks and rushed in on them. Test held the Nailers to four hits and Manager Spencer was pleased with his box work.

300 Local Fans Saw Game Sunday

Portsmouth certainly sent a representative crowd of fans to Ironton Sunday.

Two hundred went up on passenger train No. 16 and fully one hundred made the trip in automobiles. Splendid time was made both ways and the trip was an ideal one. And to top it off Portsmouth trounced the Nailers most decisively.

The following autoists made the trip to Ironton Sunday: Dr. E. B. Dawson, Louis Levi, Charles Berry, Levi D. York, W. F. Assmann, Linn Wittenburg, Dr. J. W. Hutchens, John and James Kelley, Charley Wertz, K. N. Nagel, Al Maier, Charles Massa, W. H. Eshelman, Ralph Ruggles, George D. Schneider, Al Yuenger, Gus Brunner, Frank Coburn, Clinton Daniels and Charles Sims.

CHEERED LOCAL BOYS

And don't forget that Portsmouth fans rooted for William Doherty and Oscar De Lotelle as they are local boys.

Doherty relieved King at short in the sixth and the Portsmouth fans in the stands certainly cheered Doherty to the echo. He failed to hit safely, but he accepted the only two chances that came his way in his usual steady manner. The first time up Doherty lifted gently to Spencer and the next time he popped to Dilly. Doherty is trained in the minute and will make Smith a valuable man on the infield if played regularly.

DID FANS ROOT? WELL

Ironton heard a new brand of rooting Sunday.

The 300 Portsmouth fans there rooted loud and long for Portsmouth. Every player was lustily cheered as he stepped to the plate and each was compelled to doff his cap. As the runs were being piled up the fans would get up and count them and then count Ironton's lone tally much to their enjoyment and to the disgust of the Ironton hugs.

Lexington Colts Beat Charleston

Lexington, May 17.—The Colts held on to first place Sunday when they broke the tie with Charleston by defeating the Senators by a score of 7 to 3 before a Sunday crowd of 1000. Coffendaffer, the Charleston hurler, was hit hard. Manager Guyn for Lexington celebrated his return to the game after an injury by hitting for three bases in the first with the corners loaded. The box score:

Charleston	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Nutter, cf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Beers, c	5	0	0	8	2	0
Curtis, 3b	2	2	1	0	0	0
Troutman, ss	5	0	3	0	4	0
Hudson, 1b	5	0	1	12	0	0
Abner, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Alderson, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Evans, 2b	4	1	1	0	4	1
Coffendaffer, p	2	0	0	0	1	1
Bolstein, p	2	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	39	3	11	24	14	2
Lexington	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cain, cf	4	1	2	3	0	0
McClelland, ss	5	1	2	1	1	2
Shafer, 2b	3	1	0	2	5	1
Guyn, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Reed, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Jones, 3b	4	2	1	2	3	0
Devereaux, 1b	3	0	1	13	0	0
Vetter, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Hanna, p	1	0	2	0	7	0
Totals	33	7	11	27	17	3

Charleston	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1—3
Lexington	4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0—7

Earned runs—Charleston, 1; Lexington, 3. Two base hits—Devereaux, Jones, Evans, Vetter, Reed. Three base hits—Guyn.

CONWELL MADE A HIT

The other day Beaumont beat Waco in the Texas league, 2 to 0.

Who do you suppose batted as a pinch hitter for John Hickey in the ninth? None other than our good friend Irish Conwell. If such a trick had been turned in the Ohio State last year the fans would have panned the manager as Hickey is a grand hitter. But more than likely Hickey had gone hitless in this particular game and the manager thought Conwell would come through with a hit and he did that very thing. So the manager's judgment was handsomely vindicated.

Shifts Lineup

Manager Spencer sprang a surprise on the Portsmouth fans, who saw the game in Ironton as at the last moment he sent Mellenry to left and placed Dilhoeffer on third. Emmer going to the bench.

Dilly played one swell game at Station No. 3 and Mellenry made a splendid catch off Calbert in left. Spencer's judgment being vindicated handsomely. Dilly put a lot of life in the game and contributed one of the real deciding features when he caught a high spiral foul with his gloved hand. The play broke up an Ironton rally.

Fan Parries Cruel Thrust

"Pick out a good one," yelled a fan to Louie Levi when he had a little trouble finding his "Pierce Arrow" in the large number of machines parked near the ball grounds and even Louie had to smile at the fan's thrust.

Doyle With The Club

Scout Billy Doyle is with the team and is quartered at the Olive Hotel, where the players are roomed. They get their meals at Schechleiter's restaurant. Doyle will get a line on every player in the Carr circuit within the next two or three weeks.

BASEBALL

STANDING OF CLUBS

Ohio State League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Lexington	4	1	.800
Portsmouth	4	2	.667
Charleston	3	2	.600
Ironton	2	3	.400
Chillicothe	3	3	.500
Frankfort	0	5	.000

National League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	16	8	.667
Boston	13	11	.542
Chicago	15	13	.536
Pittsburgh	13	14	.481
Brooklyn	12	14	.462
Cincinnati	11	14	.440
St. Louis	12	16	.429
New York	10	17	.417

American League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	15	9	.640
Detroit	18	11	.621
Boston	13	9	.591
Chicago	16	12	.571
Washington	11	14	.440
Cleveland	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	9	16	.360
St. Louis	10	18	.357

Federal League

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	19	10	.655
Newark	16	12	.571
Kansas City	15	12	.556
Chicago	16	13	.552
Brooklyn	14	13	.519
St. Louis	12	14	.462
Baltimore	12	17	.414
Buffalo	8	20	.285

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Ohio State League

Lexington 7, Charleston 3.
Portsmouth 10, Ironton 1.
Chillicothe 10, Frankfort 7.

National League

No games.

American League

Detroit 2, New York 6.
Chicago 2, Philadelphia 5.
Cleveland 0, Boston 3; 14 innings.
St. Louis 2, Washington 1; 11 innings.

American Association

Minneapolis 10, Cleveland 5.
St. Paul 2, Columbus 4.
Kansas City 9, Indianapolis 8.

Federal League

Chicago 1, Pittsburgh 4.
St. Louis, Kansas City 3; 10 innings.

GAMES TODAY

Ohio State League

Charleston at Lexington.
Portsmouth at Ironton.
Frankfort at Chillicothe.

THE PITCHERS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Jacobus	2	0	1.000
McCall	1	0	1.000
Test	1	1	.500
Ferguson	0	1	.000

Speed, That's The Cry In Big Leagues

New York, May 17.—The efforts being made in both the major leagues and the Federal league to speed up the daily games is already beginning to show results. Complaints from the cities represented in all three circuits, first called the attention of the league executives to the fans' objections to long drawn out contests and there was immediate action on the part of the baseball authorities.

President Ban Johnson of the American league notified the junior organization club managers that less time must be consumed in playing games and that several time-killing practices must be discontinued. President Gilmore of the Federals took a similar stand and intimated that he might offer prizes in order to shorten the average playing session. In the National league the matter was also given careful study and several plans considered to improve the conditions.

A study of the playing time figures of the three leagues discloses some interesting details. Using the April contests as a basis it is shown that the average in the American league for from ten to thirteen contests is two hours five one-half minutes. The Federal league clubs under similar conditions required 2 hours 2 1-4 minutes to play nine innings while the National league made the best showing with an average of one hour 52 1-2 minutes.

HOW THEY MANUFACTURE NEWS OVER ON THE GAY WHITE WAY

An interesting insight into the manner in which baseball gossip occasionally upsets big league circles occurred in New York recently.

Manager John McGraw of the Giants, having signed Benny Kauff, of the Brooklyn Federals to what he considered a binding contract, a club official confided to a friend that the Giants had made a splendid deal whereby a sensational outfielder was to join the New York Nationals. Asked where the player was from, he answered, Brooklyn.

The friend, who is a thirty-third degree fan, forgetting of the existence of the Bropkfads, immediately jumped to the conclusion that Zack Wheat, of the Brooklyn Superbas, was the player meant. He passed the story along and others furnished still further details, including the names of the Giants players Perritt, Murray and Robertson as the trio scheduled to wear Brooklyn uniforms.

The officials of both clubs were dumbfounded when they heard the story and it was not until Kauff tried to jump from the Brookfads to the Giants that the explanation of the alleged deal for Zack Wheat was found.

TEAM HOME WEDNESDAY

Say, fans, the team will be home Wednesday for an eight day sojourn in Millbrook park.

The Lexington Colts will open a four game series Wednesday and they will be followed by the Ironton Nailers, who will play a similar engagement. The fans have already warmed up to the team and these brace of games are sure to attract splendid week day crowds. The game with Ironton next Sunday should draw 2,000 fans as the teams will battle it through to the last ditch.

No Alibis Dug Up

My, but the Ironton fans grumped Sunday because their team performed so wretchedly. They were dead anxious to see the trick of Saturday repeated, but not with Jacobus working at top speed.

It so happens that Ironton always uncorks one of its worst games when playing Portsmouth before a big crowd, fully yesterday.

The team must not have looked like the same one that blanked Portsmouth Saturday 5 to 0. The fans let it be said could have did not dig up any alibis last night for their club. They admitted that the team was outclassed yesterday, but today was another day. So thought Manager Spencer as he watched his willing lads perform so skillfully.



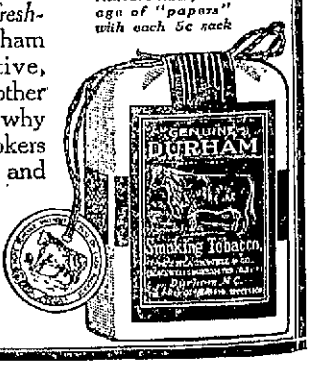
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How They Stand

	W.	L.	Pct.
East End	3	0	1,000
Athletics	2	1	.666
Kendall Ave	1	2	.333
Tigers	0	3	.000

Saturday's Scores

Athletics, 6; Kendall Avenue, 5.
East End, 3; Tigers, 2.

Athletics Play Peerless Ball

The Athletics came back strong Saturday, defeating the Kendall Avenues in one of the most exciting games of the season. The Kendall Avenue team got a big lead in the first round when they batted Dever from the box, securing a homer, a triple, a two-bagger and two singles, piling up four runs. Pitcher Bellamy came to the rescue and held the Kendall Avenue boys to one lone tally the remaining eight innings, and six scattered hits. The Athletics played errorless ball, and won the game 6 to 5. The score:

Athletics	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Wilson, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Blake, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Turgess, 1b	5	1	3	11	0	0
Monk, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
A. Yaple	4	1	1	9	2	0
Gehres, cf	4	1	0	1	1	0
L. Yaple, 3b	4	0	3	3	2	*0
Baggs, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dever, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Bellamy, p	4	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	36	6	11	*26	15	0

*Scott out for bunting on third strike.

Ken. Ave.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Cook, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Bertram, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Brady, cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Paxson, c	5	1	2	10	2	0
Parker, rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Buckley, rf	1	1	0	0	0	1
Haislet, ss	3	0	2	1	4	1
Worthington, 1b	3	0	1	11	0	0
Scott, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Lewis, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	5	11	27	11	2

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Athletics . 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 1 1—6
Ken. Ave.. 4 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—5

Home Runs: Turgess, Paxson. Three Base Hits: Bertram. Two Base Hits: Turgess, L. Yaple, Cook, Paxson. Sacrifice Hits: Monk, Cook. Double Plays: Lewis to Paxson to Scott. Struck Out: By Bellamy—7; by Dever—10. Base on Balls: By Bellamy—6; by Lewis—5. Umpire: Ratliff. Time: :00. Attendance 300.

Moon Allows But Two Hits

Pitcher Moon, who in his opening game two weeks ago made a record by fanning 15 batsmen, came back with another record Saturday which will be hard to duplicate this season, when he held the Tiger Champs to two hits. H. Hudson, and W. Hopkins, were the only Tigers who could connect with his slants. The game was a swell pitcher's duel between Moon and Hudson, and proved to be about the fastest exhibition of baseball ever pulled off by local Scouts. In the seventh inning the score was tied, 2 and 2, but the East Enders won it in the eighth when Jones got on by an error, Fugitt singled, Newman lined out a long sacrifice fly to left, scoring Jones. The final score was: East End, 3; Tigers, 2. The box score:

Tigers	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
H. Hudson, c	4	0	1	5	2	0
Gins, 2b	4	0	0	4	4	0
Williams, 3b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Selby, ss	4	0	0	0	4	1
W. Hopkins, 1b	4	1	1	11	2	0
Reutinger, lf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Virgin, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Edwards, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
I. Hudson, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	2	2	24	15	1

East End	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Devoss, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Jones, 3b	3	1	0	1	3	0
Fugitt, rf	4	0	1	3	0	1
Newman, ss	3	0	2	1	1	0
Hamilton, 1b	1	0	1	10	0	0
Graf, c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Doll, cf	1	0	0	1	0	1
J. Bryant, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Davis, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eisenaugle, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Moon, p	3	1	1	0	6	0
Totals	26	3	8	27	10	2

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Tigers . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2
East End . 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 *—3

Two Base Hits: Hopkins, Newman, Moon. Sacrifice Hits—Jones, Edwards. Sacrifice Fly—Newman. Double Plays: Gins to Hopkins; Williams, Hopkins to Gins. Struck Out: By Moon, 9; by Hudson, 5. Base on balls: By Moon, 1; Hudson 4. Umpire: Mowrey. Time: 1:55. Attendance 300.

Next Saturday's Games

East End vs. Kendall Avenue.
Athletics vs. Tigers.
Both games at York park.

Gay When You Win

Up in Ironton the ball players ride to and from the park in a big lallybo. Coming back yesterday so many jubilant fans climbed on it that it almost broke down. And the gang made life miserable for the fans returning from the Ironton game. It's a gay life when you win.

King Was Released

Infielder King of the Ironton Nailers was released last night by Manager Smith. Doherty will be used at short.

SMITH SAT ON BENCH

Afflicted with a stiff neck Manager Dick Smith of the Nailers, was forced to sit on the bench and watch his team get larruped before a big crowd. But some of the plays that his men attempted to execute hurt Dick more than his stiff neck. The team looks good and simply had one of those off days that come to all clubs, even the well fortified top notchers.

A FABLE

Once upon a time there was an Ironton team that won a game from Portsmouth before a magnificent Sunday crowd.

Moral: That was before Portsmouth elbowed its way into the Ohio State league.

Popular In Australia

Reports from Australia indicate that baseball continues to grow in popularity.

The seventeenth annual report of the New South Wales Baseball Association shows that the general advancement of the American game was more marked in this state in 1914 than in any previous season, and that the standard of play in all grades was of a high character. A special note expresses satisfaction at the success of school baseball, the wisdom of fostering the game in the "nursery section being exemplified by the victories of the youngsters in the interstate matches. As to finances the Association has a sum of about $1445, an increase of almost $600 over last season.

Bill Smiles As Team Wins

President William Gableman smiled expansively as his team scored run after run on good solid smashes. It was refreshing to see Dilly, Sharman, Mills and Jacobus pound the agate Sunday.

Girls Testify And Are Then Forgotten

The city came to the relief of Mary Large and Lola Colley, aged 17 years each, both of Ashland, Ky., who were the victims of unfortunate circumstances.

The girls had been taken to Maysville, Ky., by C. & O. detectives Saturday to testify against Bud Logan, the alleged brass thief, who was captured there some days before. They were then brought to Portsmouth on a noon train and taken to the county jail to identify a prisoner there. The detectives directed them to York Place, the girls say, stating they would meet them there and see them safely aboard an afternoon train for home. The girls were not provided with dinner, and after they had been vainly sitting around the park for five or six hours, Turnkey Joe Stokley took them in at police headquarters. They were sent to the Biggs house for supper and lodging and on Sunday morning the safety department officials provided them with transportation to their homes. The department reported the facts to Agent D. A. Grimes, of the C. & O., who will take up the matter with the company officials.

Autos Are Stolen

A number of circulars telling of the stealing of automobiles arrived at police headquarters Monday from Cincinnati, Cleveland, Indianapolis, Youngstown and other points.

Big Fish Catch

Neil Bressler caught over thirty pounds of fish in the Scioto river Saturday.

Complain of Vault

A complaint about an overflowing vault at Seventeenth and Waller streets has been referred to City Sanitary Inspector Arthur Hunton for investigation.

Preparing Directory

The Building Trades Council is preparing a new directory of the various labor organizations and union locals. It will be ready for the printer within another week's time.

Compels All Impurities To Abandon System

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There is in S. S. S., the famous blood purifier, a property that absolutely compels harmful influences to disintegrate and lose their identity. No matter what they are called nor how destructive they are there is in S. S. S. a powerful, searching counter influence to annihilate the most eruptive germ, cause the mucous linings to convert it into an inert substance that is quickly thrown out of the blood and out of the body by the skin, lungs, kidneys, bowels, and destroyed in the liver. There is not a single advance in medicine today that in any sense is an improvement over S. S. S. Surgery is a wonderful, masterful science, but when it comes to purifying the blood S. S. S. stands alone. Thousands of doctors have prescribed it. Their patients do not always know it is S. S. S., because they leave the treatment to the doctor implicitly. But fair-minded doctors long ago realized that in the vegetable nature of S. S. S. were certain ingredients that to the blood in sickness were just as essential as the flesh-building elements of the grains, meats, fats and sugars of our daily food. The average doctor is humane and of trained intelligence. He has seen the recoveries from several cases of blood trouble by the use of S. S. S. Get a bottle of S. S. S. today of any druggist. Accept no substitute. And if you wish proper advice on any form of blood trouble, write to the Medical Adviser, The Swift Specific Co., 102 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. It is worth while doing so.

Each Man Builds A Gate So The "Other Gate" Wouldn't Work

West Side neighbors reported a big fight Saturday night between Boss Foster and Ellis Marsh near John Woods', place on Carey's Run, in which Foster secured a decision over his opponent. The two men fell out over a gate and fence proposition, both of them having their own ideas about constructing a gate near the line of their adjoining properties. The outcome of the controversy was that each man had built a gate that interfered with the other's gate, neither of which would open.

They met Saturday night, according to their neighbors, and came to blows, a pitched battle resulting. There were no arrests.

LOCAL ATTORNEY IN BIG SUIT

The Enquirer Sunday had the following to say relative to a big damage suit in which a former Portsmouth boy, Floyd Williams, is attorney.

"Superior Judge Pugh yesterday denied the application for a new trial in the suit of Jeanette L. Cameron against Miss M. C. Dow. The suit was for $50,000 damages. Miss Cameron alleging that she purchased Epsom salts from one of the Dow stores, which contained arsenic, and when she took the salts she was poisoned and became paralyzed from the shoulders down. The first trial resulted in a disagreement, but the jury in the second trial returned a verdict for $20,000 damages. Judge Pugh entered judgment for this amount Saturday, and the case will now go up to the upper courts. Attorneys John W. Peck and Floyd Williams represented Miss Cameron."

EAGLES HONOR DEAD

About fifty members of River City Aerie, No. 567, Fraternal Order of Eagles, assembled at Greenlawn cemetery Sunday morning at 8 o'clock to pay tribute to their honored dead. The solemn and impressive ritualistic ceremony was exemplified by Worthy President William Steiger and his corps of officers in front of the chapel, after which the graves of the deceased brothers were strewn with flowers.

Plans Completed For Patriotic Meet

Announcement of the big patriotic meeting to be held at the High School Auditorium next Friday evening, May 21, was made by the ministers of the various churches from their pulpits Sunday, as the meeting is public and for everybody who wishes to honor the illustrious Grand Army of the Republic. The committee from Sons of Veterans, Spanish American War Veterans and Jr. O. U. A. M. having the meeting in preparation are perfecting their plans to make it a great success, the largest and best meeting of the kind, and there's no better, ever held in Southern Ohio. The spacious High school auditorium has been secured for the meeting, and while this auditorium is one of the largest in the city, it is expected it will be packed Friday evening, as an excellent program will feature the meeting. There will be much of interest to every one and numbers to please all.

The parade to be given before the meeting, from Fifth and Market streets, thence to Second, Second to Chillicothe, Chillicothe to Gallia, thence to the High school building, is going to be a big feature of the meeting. The safety department, several bands and all orders and societies have been invited and are expected to participate and turn out in force. The fine old boys of the G. A. R. and their ladies will have the honor position in the parade, but they will be conveyed in automobiles procured for this occasion. The following are the names of gentlemen who have already kindly tendered the loan of their cars, and more are coming:

James S. Thomas, Edgar Thompson, B. H. Dillon, Frank Appel, H. T. Bannon, T. C. Beatly, D. A. Alspaugh, P. E. Selby, Filmore Musser, Edward Strittmatter, John T. Breese, M. A. Caldwell, M. H. Shumway, W. B. Anderson.

All cars are to be sent out with driver, or driven by owners, and will report to grand marshal or aides for assignment in parade. It is believed at least twenty-five to thirty cars will be needed, and the names of all others tendering their cars for this occasion will be published in later issues. Those wishing to join this list will please notify Harry M. Sickles, chairman of the automobile committee, at Times office, or 841 Seventh street.

The joint committee will meet this, Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock at the store of Harry W. Matthiott, on Gallia street, to prepare a program and perfect final arrangements for the meeting and parade. Representatives from other lodges who wish to attend this meeting will be cordially welcome. The committee has only one aim and one object in view—to do honor to th Grand Army of the Republic, just before they honor their dead, and in this all can participate.

ALLEN CHAPEL NOTES

Tonight the choir will have their rehearsal at the church at 7:30.

The members of the Sewing Circle will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. Ethel Cole on Washington street. Business of importance must be attended to concerning the May Fair.

MRS. MARY SLOAN, Pres.
MRS NARCISSA JONES, Sec'y.

Tuesday night the Junior Stewardess will hold their regular meeting at the home of Miss Emma White, on 15th street. All members are urged to be present.

MRS. ERMA HOLLENSWORTH
President.
MRS. DAISY WHITE, Secretary.

Tuesday night the Trustee Aids will give a house social at the home of Mrs. Cordelia Randalls on Findlay street, from six to ten o'clock. They will serve veal pie, mashed potatoes, lettuce salad, hot coffee, strawberry sherbet.

MRS. LUCY WHITFIELD, Pres.
MRS. BELLE PENMAN, Sec'y.

Wednesday night prayer meeting and immediately afterwards the Willing Workers and the trustees and stewards.

Thursday night May Fair, the Sewing Circle have been working all winter getting things ready for their fair and they will have on sale things just suited for the lady and home. The following program will be rendered:

Solo—Miss Bessie Johnson.
Selection—Mrs. Anna Brodnax.
Reading—Miss Pearl Anderson.
Recitation—Mr. Ollie Redman.
Solo—Mr. Garrett Starks.
Selection—Mrs. Gentry.
Selection—Lewis Band.
Instrumental Duet—Mrs. Nettie Turner and Mrs. Ethel Cole.
"The Mock Models".
Selection—Lewis Band.

Friday night Literary Society. Following is the program:

Invocation—Rev. Grant Metcalf.
Solo—Mr. Garrett Starks.
Reading—Mr. Charles Johnson.
Solo—Mr. Seymore Payne.
Reading—Miss Edith Irvin.
Saxaphone and piano duet—Bryant and Penman.
Cornet duet—H. Johnson and S. Johnson.
Debate—"Resolved, that the sins of omission are greater than the sins of commission. Affirmative, Alfred Carr and G. Metcalf; negative, H. F. Mason and A. Hamilton.

Five Injured When Everling Automobile Turns Turtle

Mrs. Charles Leichner, Misses Isabelle Leichner and Hazel Marks, a child, Ruth Leichner, 6, and Charles Farmer were injured about 4:30 Saturday afternoon, on Main street, Scioto ville, when Leslie Everling's five passenger Maxwell car skidded and overturned. Mrs. Leichner, Misses Leichner and Marks and Mr. Farmer were caught under the machine.

The Marks girl was the most seriously injured of the party. Her collar-bone was fractured, three ribs on her right side fractured and a gash several inches long cut in her right knee. Mrs. Leichner had her right wrist dislocated and was bruised about the body. Her two daughters, Isabelle and Ruth, escaped with slight bruises and lacerations. Mr. Farmer had his left leg badly bruised.

The automobile was only a short time before taken out of the Frichard garage Saturday noon, where it had undergone repairs for several days. The car is the same that skidded with Ernest Everling and a party of friends Wednesday night and crashed into a tree in front of the Times office.

Mrs. Leichner and daughters and Mr. Farmer, who is from Ironton, were in the rear seat, Miss Marks and Mr. Everling being in the front seat. The party was going at a fair rate of speed and were just one square this side of the Little Scioto covered bridge when, it is claimed, Vaughn Brock, young son of Charles Brock, started across the street from the left side with a bicycle. Everling, who was driving, swerved to the left side of the road, and the young lad, badly scared, stopped, turned the bicycle around and started a retreat for the opposite side of the street. Everling then swerved quickly to the right to avoid hitting the lad. The machine hit the rear wheel of the bicycle and badly mashed it, young Brock escaping serious injury by a narrow margin. The sudden swerve to the right caused the machine to skid, and it went flying to the right side of the road, turning completely over in the front yard of the Edward Basham lot.

Everling was thrown out and escaped with minor bruises and lacerations. On gaining his feet, Everling looked around for the rest of the party.

Farmer's body was the first seen by Everling. He lifted the machine to allow Farmer to get out. Farmer's leg was pinned to the ground by the back of the rear seat. The two men lifted the car so Mrs. Leichner and daughter, Isabella, could get out. Little Ruth, not waiting to be lifted, opened the door to the rear seat and crawled out while her mother and sister were being taken care of on the opposite side of the machine. Miss Marks was unable to move. She was in a dazed condition when the car was lifted to one side. She was pinned to the ground by the back of the front seat.

Dr. J. W. Hutchens, of Scioto ville, and Dr. W. G. Cheney, of New Boston, were hurriedly called. Dr. Hutchens treated Miss Marks and moved her home. Dr. Cheney dressed the wounds of the other members of the party.

The car was badly damaged. One wheel was torn off, the front fenders were badly bent, the steering gear was damaged, the wind-shield broken and the front axle broken.

Miss Marks' knee was cut on a piece of glass from the wind-shield. She spent a very restless night Saturday, but Monday was reported resting easy. The other members of the party are getting along nicely. Miss Leichner is a Senior of the local High school and Miss Marks is an office employee at the Irving Drew factory. Mr. Everling, who lives on Long Run, and Mr. Farmer are pair heaters at the Whitaker-Glessner steel plant.

SAGE TEA DARKENS HAIR TO ANY SHADE

Don't stay gray! Here's a simple recipe that anybody can apply with a hair brush.

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A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw the through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and abundant.

BACK RIPPED BY AN UNKNOWN KNIFEMAN

John Luther, an N. & W. construction laborer, of Scioto ville, was the victim of a mysterious cutting affray, that occurred near Second and Madison streets Saturday night about 11 o'clock. Luther was returning from the street fair grounds when someone slipped up behind him and inflicted a slash down the middle of his back, extending from the shoulder blade to the hip joint. The cut was over a foot long. Luther took to his heels before his unknown enemy could inflict any more damage. Arriving at the Roy Lynn boarding stable he almost dropped in his tracks from sheer loss of blood.

Police were notified and the city service wagon rushed the wounded man to Dr. W. W. Smith's office but that physician advised his removal to Hempstead hospital where he attended him. It required twenty some stitches to sew up the wound.

Luther suffered several hemorrhages but against the advice of the attending nurses he arose early Sunday morning and left the hospital. Luther made no attempt to explain the assault and police did not press him for an explanation.

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HAS THE RIGHT RING.

Sometimes there is just a momentary flash thrown that illumines clearer and more understandingly than the steadiest and strongest protestation and explanation.

Because this is true we wish that the short interview that General Jacob Smith gave The Times the other day, anent our contention with Germany, could be focused upon the attention of every reasonable citizen.

General Smith knows what war is, he has been there, as the saying is. Of a truth he has seen the delirium and horrors of more than one war and none will accuse him of ever turning his back on an enemy. Even to the contrary he has been accused of disposition to meet the foe better than half way and chase him the balance of the distance. Knowing therefore of what he speaks this old warrior bold cautions that we civilians be serene and forbear ourselves in patience, lest we provoke trouble that is far best avoided, unless there be no possible escape in dignity and self respect. It is most wholesome that he should insist that those, whose so called business it is to fight, do not now, nor any other time want war merely for war's sake. They know full well just what their business is, all the suffering, the sorrow and anguish of it, and they are the last to wantonly provoke it, or desire. Yes, it is well he should tell us now for the very solemnity of the situation gives truth an ear and a credence that it would not have at another time.

'TWAS EVER THUS.

It is to be noted that a large number of papers are laboring with all their might and main to make the hero of the doomed Lusitania none other than Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt. That is all well enough in its way and we are proud to know the man died as an American should die, but after all the way these papers adopt is a poor one, because those who are following it are the very ones that treated Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt so unfairly and indecently in his life time. He was a millionaire, may be more than a hundred times a millionaire, but that in itself made him neither worse nor better. His measure as a man lay solely in his actions and character. In the supreme moment, the moment when death or life was at his choice he chose death that the women and the kiddies might have the better chance for life. Here action placed the supreme test on his character and approved it. And the approval shows the meanness, the wantonness of those prusing him dead, assailing him alive, just because they knew nothing about him, except his exceeding wealth made him an easy and popular victim to detraction.

A POLITICAL INCIDENT.

The Gallipolis Tribune says of a political incident in the career of the late Judge A. C. Thompson:

"The death of Mr. George Falloon, formerly of Athens, in Kansas recently recalls some political history of the late 80's when Judge Thompson, General Enochs and General Grosvenor were contesting for a congressional nomination. The first convention met at Ironton during a terribly hot streak of weather, and after a day or two of futile balloting adjourned to meet in Gallipolis. It developed that Grosvenor could not be nominated, and his Meigs and Athens delegations were assembled in a room at the Park Central hotel and pledged stoutly to vote solidly for Judge Thompson and stick there no matter what might happen. An hour later at the court house the Lawrence county delegation, under the adroit management of Col. E. S. Wilson, seduced the Grosvenor forces into believing their candidate would be nominated by them, without giving any promise to that effect. Under this delusion, the Athens and Meigs delegations were swung back to Grosvenor. Right here was where Falloon showed his integrity and manhood. He arose and protested against his vote being switched after he had given his solemn pledge that it should be cast for Thompson.

The upshot of the easy morals of the Athens and Meigs delegations was that Enochs was nominated when they all preferred Thompson. We never forgot Falloon's faithfulness to his word. Grosvenor retired to his room in a towering rage and abused Judge Thompson bitterly, just why we never understood, for the Judge stood by his agreement with the Grosvenor men to the letter."

What we need most is quiet now and peace secure and unbroken all the time.

ONE FLAG, ONE COUNTRY, ONE PEOPLE.



A FACE THAT IS VANISHED.

The Washington Post prints a list of more than a dozen Republican presidential possibilities ranking them as follows: Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, Senator John W. Weeks, of Massachusetts, Senator William E. Borah James R. Mann of Illinois, Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, Elihu Root of New York, Philander C. Knox of Philadelphia, Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana, Senator Albert B. Cummings of Iowa, Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman of Illinois, Gov. Frank B. Willis of Ohio, Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, and Gov. Charles S. Whitman, of New York.

A bunch of beauties, with some flaming hollyhocks entwined. More than a dozen, count 'em, just 13, hoodoo. Some are possibilities, some are potentialities; some are full blossomed, some incipient, some evanescent, some fully vanished, considered as candidates merely. In the latter class may be classed the good young Governor from Ohio. He unfolded as a possibility on the morning of November 4th last because it was found he had most unexpectedly defeated a most excellent man. He withered, he vanished in the cold light of the next day after the legislature met. There never was such another legislature in Ohio, may be not in any other state for that matter, and Willis must bear all the blame of it. That may not look exactly just, but it is the quintessence of justice to hold him solely responsible for all its antics, the little good, the some indifferent and the much totally and altogether bad. It is so because the good young Governor showed he could dominate the body and he actually did wherever it suited him to doff his pretence of hands off and tell it where to head in.

It's easy to figure that in the little unpleasantness between the journeymen and the boss plumbers the latter believe silence is golden. As yet none of our bright and tireless reporters has been able to extract a word from a single one of them on "what's the trouble."

As one drives over the little jag of paved highway in the country outside of Portsmouth, he wonders why so much of the taxpayers' money has been as bad as thrown away for so many years past.

We agree with the Marion Star that the raincoat is twin brother to the umbrella. It is always at the other end of the line when the rain comes.

Roosevelt and Barnes having each solemnly deposed and sworn that he was in politics solely for the benefit of the country and the uplift of the common people the trial jury may now draw straws as to which it will give the palm of credibility.

Engine Balked

John Hetzel, son of Jacob Hetzel, of Fourth street, met with an engine failure, just this side of Piketon Sunday evening and his automobile was towed back to Portsmouth by Herman Muller.

Complain of Boys

Officer Grant Goings has been directed to break up the practice of boys congregating nightly at Mill and Sinton streets destroying property and otherwise annoying residents of that vicinity.

This old world runs mighty funny. In Philadelphia they arrested a newsboy for crying out: "War Declared", but they let the man who voted in 387 places in one day go, because what he had done was only a matter of course—after a city gets used to it.

If one can make a guess from the talk of the newspapers in Italy, Sweden, Norway and Holland some darker days are dawning just ahead for a gentleman named William.

Here's West Virginia that's been "hollering her head off" for an extra session of the legislature, yelling what are we going to do with it now that it has been called.

Some people believe in making hay while the sun shines; the Japs believe in grabbing territory while the clouds are gathered thick elsewhere.

The all-absorbing question is: On what side is the kingdom of Monaco going to land in this clash of the mighty nation's.

The United States has given sixty million dollars to the relief of Belgium, and that's only a starter.

The man who was to sail on the Lusitania, but didn't gains fame without the concomitant of a watery grave.

The way the improvement is progressing the West Siders will soon have experience of what a real road is.

One of the worst things is we may expect a constant eruption from a once noted individual by the name of Rich, Hobson.

Credit to one William Howard Taft. He talks like an American should talk at this particular juncture.

Whatever else you do keep both cool and quiet.

Sketches of Little NEW YORK by McIntyre

New York, May 17.—The famous old Broadway Central Hotel has been forced into bankruptcy after many years struggle against the guestless business section which supplanted the once gay lower Broadway.

It was in the Broadway Central Hotel that Ed. S. Stokes killed Colonel "Jim" Fisk, the gayest sport the White Way has ever known. They had quarreled over Josie Mansfield and the shooting took place on the stairway. It was the home of Fire Chief Croker and as such received columns of publicity.

The moving of the city's theater district northward and the construction of the new subway which blocked the hotel's doors, and the invasion of the quick lunch all combined to make the once famous hotel a failure. It had entertained such distinguished guests at Patti, Edwin Booth and Jinny Lind.

In later years it housed diplomats, actresses, prize fighters, southern planters and western mine millionaires. It remained always the American plan.

Bank clerks in New York, the hint is rife, are going to demand higher salaries. They declare that in no other line where tact, honesty, and loyalty are so essential is the pay so small.

One more or less facetious bank employee who signs himself W. E. H. writes to his favorite paper:

Working in a bank is a great business education for a young man. It teaches him to appreciate a good job when he gets one. The spectacle of the poor but honest boy sweeping out a bank and ending up as the president is the most inspiring picture ever painted by a cocaine artist.

First the banker catches a boy for whom wealth has no charms. At the end of each week the boy is insulted with the usual bank boy salary. At the end of something under thirty years, after he has stepped aside seventeen times to make room for relatives of stockholders, he is made assistant teller with the same salary as a blacksmith's apprentice. The best opening for a young man in a bank is the door.

Some bankers however, grow whiskers and go to South America. They afford in this manner big expense accounts for sleuths.

Harry Harris was entertaining a friend from Washington the other day along Broadway. They met Kid Broad on Broadway and Harris introduced the former pugilist to his friend. When they parted five minutes later the Washington man smiled.

"I'm awfully glad to have met you, Mr. Wide," he said.

May Irwin was in a theater the other night when she was handed a message from her home in the Thousand Islands announcing the birth of a Jersey calf. "Mother and child are doing well," the message added.

One of the readjustments of the world's commerce during the past few months will be of commercial profit to New York. The work has shut off Ireland with its population of 85,000 and the Danish colony seeks the establishment of a direct steamship line to New York. It is expected that it will soon be shipping its dried fish, wool, and mutton and receiving in return flour and other supplies.

Down on Baxter street the other day a boy of 15 years of age—a child of the tenements—was found to have been a victim of cocaine sniffing. For years, three—to be exact, he has craved the drug and what was supposed to have been an inherited weak body by his parents was found to have resulted from drug addiction. It was an indication of the cunning which even young dope fiends acquire. More than 100 cocaine fiends on the Bowery have "saddle noses."

CONTRACT FOR N. & W. BRANCH

Williamson, W. Va., May 17—J. E. Crawford, chief engineer, Norfolk and Western Railway Company, Roanoke, Va., today awarded the contract to H. M. Waugh, of Ormage, Va., to build a main line, including coal company side-tracks to Leckies's mines, leading from the Williamson and Pond Creek Railway near Williamson, W. Va. Excavation will run over 100,000 yards, same to be completed in six months' shovel work. Mr. Waugh will have his office at Williamson, W. Va.

Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

MANY CASES OF RHEUMATISM NOW

Says We Must Keep Feet Dry, Avoid Exposure and Eat Less Meat.

Stay off the damp ground, avoid exposure, keep feet dry, eat less meat, drink lots of water and above all take a spoonful of salts occasionally to keep down uric acid.

Rheumatism is caused by poisonous toxin, called uric acid, which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

Seed Time

Dig a bit and rake a bit,
And then we use our hoes,
Until we mark the garden out
In little beds and rows.

Here a seed and there a seed,
Each in its proper place;
And never mind the garden earth
That gets on hands and face.

Here a look and there a look,
As spring days come and go;
And won't it all be wonderful
When plants begin to grow?
—Christina Science Monitor.

Can See to Powder Nose

"I see nothing unusual about the typewriter."

"Didn't you notice the mirror attachment? You have no idea how much time it saves a girl."—Kansas City Journal.

Big Wisher

Harry—Marry me and your smallest wishes will always be fulfilled.

Carrie—I am able to do that myself. What I want is a man who will gratify my biggest wishes.—Town Topics.

Ring Up a Nickel

Biz—Say, old boy, are mushrooms dangerous?

Whiz—Oh, not necessarily, why?

Biz—Nothing, I just took in a sorority house parlor, that's all."

(Ed. note Don't give it up, it put us to sleep too.)—Siren.

Scrub Team's Job

Dum Nut—"Look at 'em all in that mud! How will they ever get clean?"

Wiseacre—"Huh! What do you suppose the scrub team is for?"—Tiger Cub.

Polished!

"Goodness," she exclaimed sarcastically, "but you were born bright!"

"Certainly," he agreed; "and knocking around has polished me considerably."—Judge.

Its Nature

"The suspects were certainly in a fever over that investigation, weren't they?"

"Yes, and I guess they were afraid it was the spotted fever."—Baltimore American.

Having a Good Time

Hicks—What kind of a girl is she?

Wicks—Oh, her dream of a good time is to sit in the dark, with a man in her lap, between two young men, and let the young men hold each other's hands inside the muff.—Ex.

Why He Followed

"I follow the medical profession," remarked the newcomer proudly. "Surgeon?" was asked politely. "No, undertaker," he replied gravely.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Dont's For Girls

Wellesley, Mass. Wellesley College has followed the fashion and now has its own selected list of dont's. Here are some of them:

"Don't flirt with the handsome young fellow down town. His wife may not like it.

Don't go through the village street chewing candy or anything else. If you must chew, try the rug.

"Don't retire with undrawn curtains. The rubber industry flourishes in other places than South America.

"Don't believe the village chap that tells you he loves every hair on your head. He may know more about hair than he lets on.

"Don't be a freak. The squirrels have enough nuts to attend to now.

"Don't study too hard. Your friends might think you are going to work for a living.

"Don't kiss each other in public. It's awful to see a woman doing a man's work."

Sprained An Ankle

Miss Jeanie Adams, 1123 Second street, had the misfortune to sprain an ankle in a fall Sunday morning.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

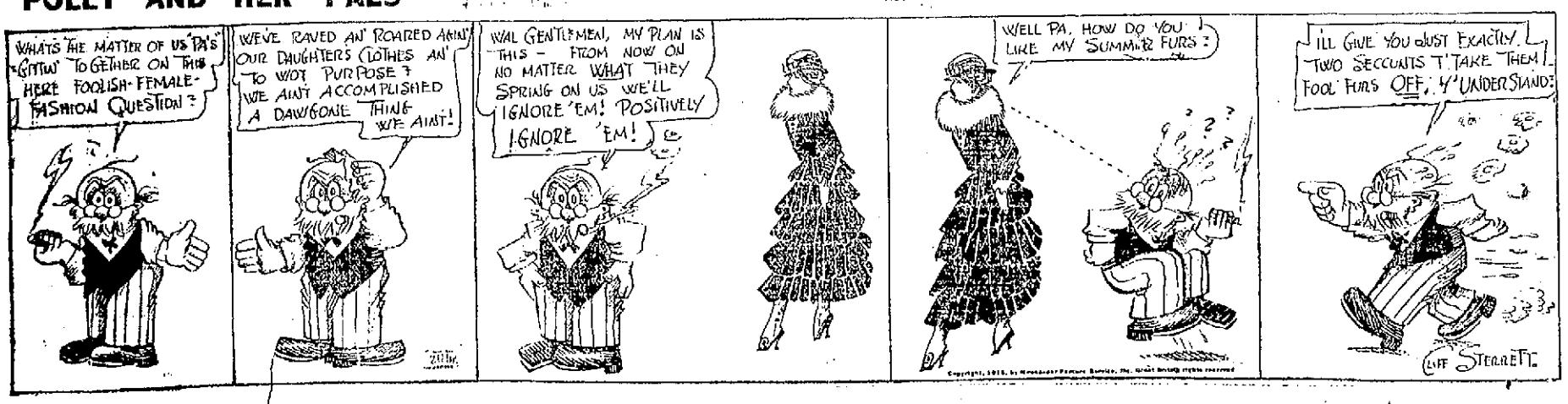
Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Elf's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

POLLY AND HER PALS



WOMEN RIOT, 47 KILLED AND 300 ARE INJURED IN TRIEST

Rome, May 17.—Forty-seven women were killed and more than three hundred were injured, some fatally in a "Woman's Revolution" at Triest, according to a report received by "Idea Nazionale" today.

The women marched down the streets burning all Austrian flags in sight and crying "Death to Emperor Francis Joseph."

Squads of gendarmes were called out and in charging the crowd killed the above number.

Premier Salandra has called a council of ministers for tomorrow at which it is expected a decision will be reached as to the stand Italy shall take.

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AUSTRIANS FLEE ITALY'S CAPITAL

ORDERED TO LEAVE BY THEIR RULER'S ENVOY AS WAR SENTIMENT GROWS

Rome, May 17.—Via Paris.—Official announcement was made here this afternoon that King Victor Emmanuel had declined to accept the resignation of Premier Salandra. The Salandra cabinet is to be retained without change.

Although it was made known unofficially last night that Signor Salandra would remain at the head of the government, this announcement was received today with great demonstrations of rejoicing and manifestations in favor of war.

The delay in making the official announcement is said to have been due to efforts to bring about closer co-operation among the various parliamentary factions. During the interval the king received a number of prominent statesmen. Among them was Deputy Admiral Bettolo, former minister of marines.

The Tribuna says there is a possibility that Premier Salandra will enlarge his cabinet by including Signor Bettolo and Signor Pantano, former minister of agriculture, the latter as the representative of the radicals.

It is asserted that Former Premier Giolitti will make a public statement to the effect that he had believed it possible to obtain from Austria concessions sufficient to avert war but that once war is inevitable he will support the cabinet.

Foreign Minister Sonnino received Baron Carl Von Macchio, temporary Austrian ambassador at Rome.

It is reported Baron Macchio asked Signor Sonnino whether his retention of office might be interpreted as meaning that Italy had decided upon war.

The Austrian consulate having notified the few Austrian subjects in Rome to be ready to leave on a moment's notice, most of them decided to depart today. When the soldiers at the barracks at Castro Pretorio learned that Premier Salandra was to remain in power they began an enthusiastic demonstration in favor of war and went to their commander, Colonel Vittorecchi. The colonel said he could not yet give expression to his feelings but hoped to be able to address them in a few days in the way he would like to do.

The excitement at Milan subsided on receipt of the news of Premier Salandra's retention. The general strike there passed off without serious incident, although there was a demonstration in favor of war on the part of a crowd estimated at 40,000. Similar demonstrations occurred at Florence, Naples, Messina, Bologna, Palermo and Cantania.

The demonstration at Bologna developed into a free fight between the factions for and against war. At Genoa last night crowds attempted to pillage the shop of gunsmiths but were held in check by troops.

ITALY IS EXPECTED TO JOIN ALLIES AT ONCE

London, May 17.—The King of Italy has refused to accept the resignation of Signor Salandra and the premier and his whole war cabinet retain office. This, it is confidently believed here, foreshadows the almost immediate entrance of Italy into the circle of belligerents on the side of the Allies.

Action, however, may be delayed until the meeting of the chamber of deputies when the premier will announce his policy and will receive the support of a majority of the deputies.

Should the expected action of Italy materialize, the Allies will be in a better position than ever to launch their big offensive movement against Austria and Germany which is being preceded on the western front by a series of attacks furnishing a foretaste of what is to come.

Hardly had the German attacks on the British lines around Ypres exhausted themselves and the French offensive to the north of Arras shown signs of coming to an end than the British became the aggressors to the north of La Bassee and the French and Belgian troops commence their attempts to throw the Germans back from the Yser canal.

These attacks, according to the French official account which however does not agree with that of Berlin, were successful and again compelled the Germans to counter-attack—the most costly of all operations in siege warfare. Fighting at both points is still in progress today, as well as in Artois, where the French added a further slight gain to those made during the week, and which combined constitutes the biggest forward movement of either army in the west since the battle of the Marne.

Fighting also is in progress in the Woevre, particularly to the west of the forest of Le Pretre which the French also won during the past week.

COAT IS RECOVERED

A blue silk lined coat which Miss Mary K. Reed, 918 Second street, lost from her automobile while motoring Saturday was recovered by Officer Roy Moore Sunday.

By diligent inquiry Officer Moore learned that a coat hanger vender known as "Blacky" had found the coat at New Boston and sold it to a woman for 50 cents. This woman in turn sold the coat to Miss Jossie Strong, of New Eighth street. Moore paid the latter the amount she had given for the coat and returned it to Miss Reed, who handsomely rewarded him for his successful efforts.

PETROLEUM FOR FRANCE

Bucharest, May 17.—The entire stock of petroleum in Roumania has been purchased by a company provided with special capital from France. The company has secured the large reservoirs constructed by the government for the Constantza pipe line. The exportation of petroleum has been prohibited since the beginning of the year.

MORE BODIES BROUGHT IN

Queenstown, May 17—The bodies of three men, three women, two small boys and one child a year old, all victims of the Lusitania disaster, were brought to Queenstown today by the tug Flying Fox which was storm-bound all day Sunday.

The body of the Reverend Basil W. Maturin, of Oxford, England, was identified easily. Identification was established by means of laundry marks and papers on the bodies of Mrs. Frederick P. Pierson of New York, Miss Gwen Allen, daughter of Lady Allen of Montreal, and of Dean W. Hodges, a young son of William F. Hodges of Philadelphia.

The other bodies have not been identified. One of the two unidentified men was a fireman.

THE WEATHER

Ohio—Fair tonight with frost; Tuesday fair.

TRANSYLVANIA DOCKS AFTER SAFE VOYAGE THROUH WAR WATERS

BULLETIN

Liverpool, May 17.—The Cunard liner Transylvania arrived safely at Groehock, Scotland, three o'clock this morning. When the vessel sailed from New York this city was supposed to be her destination but her course was changed to minimize danger of passing through the German war zone.

PRESIDENT IN NEW YORK TO REVIEW U. S. FLEET

New York, May 17.—President Wilson, on board the naval yacht Mayflower, reached New York last night, completing the voyage from Washington shortly before 11 o'clock when the yacht escorted by a gunboat passed in Sandy Hook.

Before the president's arrival arrangements had been completed for the event which brought him here, the review of the Atlantic fleet today and tomorrow and which promised to be one of the greatest naval spectacles ever held in the United States.

Plans had been made to have the president receive the ship officers at three o'clock this afternoon on the Mayflower but Secretary Daniels announced tonight that this part of the program had been abandoned. Instead the president will go from the hotel to the Mayflower which will then steam around the fleet. The Dolphin carrying wives of officers of the fleet will follow the Mayflower. As the Mayflower passes around the fleet each ship will fire 21 guns, the presidential salute.

In the evening the president, members of his cabinet, Acting Mayor McAneny, representatives of the mayor's committee and the ranking officers of the fleet will dine on the Wyoming, the flagship of the fleet. Later the president will view from the Wyoming boat races and a picturesque water carnival. He probably will go ashore for the night.

The final and crowning event of the president's visit will come on Tuesday morning when the Mayflower and the Dolphin will take stations near the statue of Liberty. Then the fleet, headed by the Wyoming, will swing out to sea, firing presidential salutes as the ships pass the president's yacht.

If the weather continues bad the president may return to Washington by train instead of going back on the Mayflower.

POLAND LOSS IS $507,334,000

Warsaw, May 17.—The amount of damage directly inflicted upon Russian Poland by the war up to January is estimated at 1,014,668,000 roubles ($507,334,000) by the Polish Central Citizens' Committee, which has just finished a thorough investigation of Poland's losses. Of this amount 695,767,000 roubles ($319,383,550) is called a direct loss, and 315,901,000 roubles ($157,950,500) is attributed to damage sustained indirectly during the course of the war.

FRENCH CONTINUE TO MAKE PROGRESS SAYS OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Paris, May 17.—French war office this afternoon issued the following statement on the progress of hostilities:

"In the region of Hetsas we have continued to make progress. Yesterday evening we occupied a house strongly defended by the enemy and on the east bank of canal we took possession of the first German line making at the same time 145 prisoners and capturing four machine guns.

"A counter attack on part of the enemy was a complete failure.

"Nothing new to north of Arras where it is again raining with the exception of an extreme violent artillery duel in the region of Loretto and Sanguinary, checking in this same vicinity of four counter attacks on the part of the Germans."

Bob Gillilan In From Trip

Robert Gillilan, traveling salesman for the Excelsior Shoe Company, returned from his season's trip through Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma, Saturday afternoon.

Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADS every night. They read them with profit.

KAISER MAY DISCONTINUE SUBMARINE WARFARE; U.S. RIGHTS NOW AT STAKE

Washington, May 17.—Without a word from Ambassador Gerard as to the attitude of the German government toward the American note, official Washington attached much significance today to the intimation in diplomatic quarters here friendly to Germany that the latter country in its reply might offer to suspend attacks without warning on merchant ships while the United States renews its informal proposals for the unrestricted passage of food stuffs to civilians in Germany.

It was pointed out by well informed European diplomats that an offer of arbitration or, settlement by diplomacy of the questions at issue would most certainly be made by Germany with an agreement to abandon submarine warfare while the discussion was in progress.

Officials have been reticent about discussing the idea of arbitration of the proposal with reference to foodstuffs but it was indicated that the situation had progressed to the point where the United States would not be likely to be satisfied with any conditional acquiescence in the American position. The latter, it was pointed out, is based on legality and humanity and no stipulations could be considered which presumed any recession by the United States from her rights under international law. It was intimated, however, that if Germany accepted the American point of view the natural tendency of the United States of its own initiative would be strongly to press its contentions on the right to ship foodstuffs to Germany, a matter still under diplomatic discussion.

There is a likelihood too that some understanding might be reached through the medium of the American government whereby Germany could be definitely assured that no merchant ships leaving the United States would be armed, making it possible for submarine commanders to exercise the right of visit and search with impunity.

Whether Great Britain would consent to disarm all her merchant vessels carrying contraband is a matter of conjecture. England has insisted, during the present war, and also maintained with much vigor in her correspondence with Russia during the Russo-Japanese war that a prize would be sunk only in case of military necessity. This position has been taken by the United States in its naval code of instructions on the theory that destruction of neutral goods of non-contraband character aboard belligerent merchantmen would require the payment of heavy damages.

That the question of permitting Americans to travel on armed merchantmen may be shortly taken under consideration is intimated in well informed quarters. On the other hand some officials believe there will be little necessity for this as Great Britain already has informally agreed not to arm her vessels plying between British and American ports.

What is regarded as one of the hopeful signs in the general situation is the confidence reflected in official and diplomatic quarters that Germany will meet the United States at least half way and certainly will suspend for the time being her submarine attacks without warning during the diplomatic correspondence.

Battleship Goeben Worsted In Encounter With Russian Ships

Petrograd, via London, May 17—The following statement was issued today by the Russian war office:

"The Goeben which fired 200 shells at the Russian fleet while it was bombarding the Bosphorus without inflicting a single hit was herself obliged to return to the Golden Horn with a hole in her hull, stopped up with collision mats.

"A portion of her foremast was torn away, and a funnel was damaged by shells or mines.

"The warship referred to in the foregoing is the Turkish cruiser Sultan Selim, formerly the German cruiser Gorben. She was handed over to the Turks with the German cruiser Breslau last fall. The Sultan Selim has been engaged in several battles with the Russian fleet and in half a dozen occasions was reported to have been damaged by shells or mines.

U. S. CRUISER IS TO STOP RIOTS

San Diego, Cal., May 17.—The cruiser Colorado, flagship of the Pacific fleet, carrying an expeditionary force of marines and a machine gun for their use sailed for Mexican waters yesterday afternoon to aid if necessary American colonists in Sonora who have been fighting Yaqui Indians.

CITIZENS KILLED IN LISBON'S RIOTS

Paris, May 17.—Absolute calm has been restored in Lisbon and the city resumed a normal appearance according to a Havas agency.

Madrid—(Via Paris.)—May 17—Complete martial reigns in Lisbon, according to news reaching Madrid tonight. Fighting in the streets continues, between the mutineers and the loyal troops. The bombardment was stopped last night, owing to a lack of ammunition.

Many citizens have been killed and many others wounded. Many buildings were burned and the homes of known loyalists pillaged.

Premier Dato announced today that the Spanish battleship Espana will arrive at Lisbon tomorrow to protect Spaniards and other foreigners. He added that it is probable that another warship also will be dispatched to Portuguese waters.

Dispatches from Vigo announce that Portuguese people arriving there declare that the uprising is the beginning of civil war in Portugal. Reports from Oporto are to the effect that the revolutionists in that city have been placed in jail and that the civil authorities have given over the reigns of government to the military. The whereabouts of President De Arriaga is still unknown.

Special dispatches assert that the uprising is not monarchial movement but one organized by the party of Doctor Alfonso Costo, former premier against recent measures of the government, etc., etc.

It is declared that although mutinies occurred among the crews of several of the Portuguese warships the army is absolutely loyal.

Attending Meeting

Joe Knoppe, well known retired B. & O. S. W. engineer, is attending the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers meeting at Cleveland this week. He just recently concluded an extended pleasure visit in Texas.